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Protest Forces B.C. to Lift Employment Ban

Tanaka Begins Tour

Co-operation of All Local Groups Asked by JCCA National Head

TORONTO.—The co-operation of all local and provincial groups in the JCCA national secretary's efforts to shape an effective national body during his tour of Western Canada is requested in a statement this week from the JCCA's national president, Roger Obata.

Mr. Obata outlined the four-fold purpose of the trip now being undertaken by the national secretary, George Tanaka. The purpose is:

(1) To investigate all matters in which the National JCCA is able to take direct action and thereby serve in the best interests of Japanese Canadians.

(2) To seek closer co-operation with provincial chapters as a step towards greater national unity.

(3) To carry out the program and specific projects of the National JCCA, and

(4) To report the work of National headquarters to the provincial chapters and other organizations.

"It is the aim of the national organization to assist, wherever possible in the work of all Japanese Canadian organizations across the Dominion," Mr. Obata's statement said.

"The tour of the national secretary provides an opportunity for the National JCCA to co-operate with such organizations by direct personal representation. At the same time it provides an opportunity for these organizations to offer suggestions and criticisms of the work being conducted by the National JCCA. Such expression of interest in the work of the national body are not only appreciated but provide inspiring incentive for greater contributions."

Mining Ban To Stay In Effect Against Japanese

VICTORIA, B.C.—A 50-year-old ban against the underground employment of Japanese in mines has been found to be beyond the powers of the provincial government, but the ban will be continued anyway through another means, according to a statement by Mines Minister R. C. MacDonald on Jan. 28.

A racial discrimination clause is being stricken from the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Act, but in future persons signing metal mining leases will be required to guarantee that no Japanese, or Chinese not a British subject, will be employed underground.

The ban is identical to that included in logging leases, and which is a topic of current controversy. Both are apparently directed mainly at Japanese, since most Chinese can become British subjects and get the vote in B.C.

Japanese, even though British subjects, cannot get the vote.

A clause banning "Asiatics" is included in all public works contracts. Contractors violating the clause are liable to forfeit all money coming from the contract.

Legal officials in Victoria explained that while such anti-Oriental rulings are beyond the province's power to put into law, there is nothing to stop the government from writing them into contracts. (Based on Vancouver Sun reports.)

Provincial Legislature to Make Final Decision at March Session

VANCOUVER.—The British Columbia government, on Jan. 30, announced the suspension of its recent order banning Japanese workers from the logging and sawmilling operations on Crown timber lands. The storm of protest against the ban was given as the reason.

The estimated 500 Japanese logging and sawmill workers in Interior B.C. will be allowed to hold on to their present jobs until the matter is reviewed by the legislature in early March.

Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney said his department is sending out notices to logging operators in Interior B.C. to hold up the execution of the previous notice ordering the discharge of Japanese workers until a decision is reached by the legislature.

Anscomb's Statement

The government's change of policy was contained in a statement by Acting Premier Herbert Anscomb. Said Mr. Anscomb's statement:

"The Honorable Herbert Anscomb, acting premier, stated today that submissions of various organizations in relation to the question of Japanese employed on Crown timber in the interior of the province were fully discussed in Cabinet today.

"The notice excluding them from employment was a routine matter rising out of a term in the contracts between the Crown and the holders of Crown timber providing, interalia, that no person of Japanese race could be employed in the removal of the timber.

"This clause has legislative sanction as it follows an express direction or resolution of the legislature passed in 1902, and reaffirmed in principle by many succeeding legislatures. It is not that the government would be attempting to override the legislature if the clause were removed.

"The question reached is a most important one and involves the whole matter of the Japanese in British Columbia.

"In view of the above the government proposes to place the whole matter before the representatives of the people at the forthcoming session of the legislature. Meantime direction will be [illegible]

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Sun Editorial Attacks Job Restriction

Newspapers of Western Canada were united in their condemnation of British Columbia's employment restrictions against Japanese Canadians in the logging industry, the most notable feature of which was the Vancouver Sun's apparent about face in its stand on Japanese Canadian issues.

Following are some of the editorial comments:

"These Japanese Are Ours"

In its lead editorial (Jan. 28), it called upon the provincial Department of Lands and Forests to cancel its order banning the employment of Japanese on Crown lands.

Said the editorial: "British Columbia has long since outgrown the kind of racism of which this order appears to be a reflection. C. D. Orchard, deputy minister of forests, can not shrug it off by saying that 'it has been done for 50 or 60 years.' So what? This is 1948. Conditions which promoted racial antagonism have changed since Pearl Harbor."

The Sun editorial added: "Probably some of them will even return to Vancouver when the coastal security zone is abolished. Their reception may be warmer than their welcome in certain quarters, but BC must be fair."

This editorial was followed on Jan. 29 by a shorter editorial titled "Dispersed Japanese Have Rights" in which the Sun continued its criticism: [illegible]

"Now that the [illegible] policy has been put into effect, British Columbia must be prepared to absorb its share [illegible] people and to treat them fairly [illegible] with their [illegible]

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7000 Japanese Americans Lose Citizenship Through 'Ignorance'

VANCOUVER.—Approximately 7,000 Americans of Japanese ancestry, out of a total of 15,000 caught in Japan by the outbreak of war, have lost or will lose their United States citizenship, the Vancouver Province reported Jan. 31. The story was credited to the newspaper's leased wires and carried the Tokyo dateline.

The report added:

"Almost without exception, they are persons who wanted to retain U.S. citizenship but lost it out of ignorance or because of circumstances beyond their control.

"About 1700 forfeited their rights as U.S. citizens when they were drafted into the Japanese army. Only a few, if any, may have gone willingly, consular officials say.

"Another 1500 gave up U.S. citizenship and accepted Japanese nationality in order to work and live. Others held jobs in the Japanese government.

"Seven hundred ceased to be Americans when they voted in the first postwar elections in April 1946. Most of these were Nisei young women who, in rushing to the polls to vote for the first time, hadn't the foggiest idea they were automatically cancelling their U.S. citizenship."

National Meet To Take Place at Marlborough Hotel

George Tanaka, National JCCA secretary, arrived in Winnipeg, Feb. 2, on the first lap of his tour through Western Canada.

The arrival of Mr. Tanaka resulted in the immediate preparation for the conference, which is now set to take place at the mezzanine hall of the Marlborough Hotel during the Easter weekend.

JCCA Concerned with B.C. Job Crisis

By GEORGE TANAKA
(JCCA National Secretary)

When the B.C. Department of Lands and Forests issued a directive [illegible] imposition of the B.C. [illegible] a very real threat [illegible] the economic [illegible] of Japanese Canadians who [illegible] successfully employed [illegible] these Crown timber lands.

At the time of Canada's [illegible] during the period of [illegible] the Federal Government [illegible] to supersede [illegible] of the British Columbia legislative body with the [illegible] Dominion regulations [illegible] Japanese Canadians to be employed on Crown [illegible] lands.

Now with the ending of hostilities should the continued employment of these people on Crown timber lands be looked upon as [illegible] contributory to the economic welfare of Canada? If the strong protests from the timber operators themselves, who employ these people, to the B.C. legislative body against the imposition of the Crown Timber Act [illegible] taken [illegible] it would [illegible] to retain such an [illegible] contention.

BECOMING RESETTLED

The National JCCA firmly believes that the evacuees [illegible] are fast becoming successfully resettled in that province to a degree no less successful than other provinces. And it supports [illegible] the delegation of the B.C. JCCA provincial chapter that discriminatory legislation should have no place in the economic life of Canadian citizens regardless of their racial ancestry. Positive support has been given by the National JCCA through Federal channels to the B.C. JCCA chapter, which has so ably made strong representation to the B.C. legislative body on behalf of its constituents successfully resettled in the interior of British Columbia. This active support by the National JCCA will be continued until the economic welfare of these people has been satisfactorily settled. Further vigorous representation by the National JCCA will be made to the Prime Minister, Minister of Labor and members of Parliament [illegible] found that the present [illegible] of the B.C. Crown Timber Act by the B.C. legislature [illegible] only of short duration [illegible] further [illegible] to the Japanese Canadians concerned.

DENIAL OF FRANCHISE

Indeed it be [illegible] apparent that consideration [illegible] time be given [illegible] British Columbia legislature.

British Columbia has enacted an amendment to the Elections Act granting to Canadians of East Indian and Chinese racial origin the right to provincial franchise, a gesture we appreciate as an acknowledgement of democratic principles, yet within the framework of this anomalous legislation, harbors a denial of those rights to Canadians of Japanese ancestry.

UBC Students Urge Civil Rights; Nisei Addresses Protest Meeting

By KLTCH IMAYOSHI

VANCOUVER, B.C.—[illegible] on Saturday [illegible]

Amy Nose [illegible] from Kamloops, B.C., was one of the speakers.

"Although we have been treated as enemy aliens during the war we went ahead and proved our Canadianism [illegible] that race [illegible] consequence," Miss N[illegible] said.

She pointed out that due to race prejudice, Nisei were not allowed to enter the Canadian armed forces until late in the conflict.

"We believe in Canadian institutions, ideals and traditions. We glory in our heritage because we believe in Canada [illegible]"

She ended her speech [illegible] resounding applause with a plea to "give us the opportunity to serve and to share the responsibilities as Canadians."

In an opening address, Prof. G. G. Sedgewick, head of the university's English department, urged a sane and moderate approach to the difficult situation. He [illegible]

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The Tide Turns

British Columbia government's recent attempt to reimpose a pre-war employment ban against Japanese workers in the logging industry has revealed rather dramatically the change in B.C.'s public opinion towards Japanese Canadians.

We do not know what the motive was behind the B.C. government's sudden order for the discharge of Japanese forest workers, but in any case the move has run up against an overwhelming opposition and has forced the government to back down.

The final settlement on the matter is left up to the Legislature when it meets in March. It is quite likely at that time that the whole field of employment and other restrictions against the Japanese will come under review. The denial of the franchise may also be considered.

If the expression of B.C.'s public sentiment is to be taken as a signpost, we may hope for an early end to all provincial restrictions against the Japanese Canadians.

It is worthy of note also that repercussions from B.C. have been felt in Ottawa. Hitherto strongly anti-Japanese members of parliament appear to have been put on the defensive.

A news report cites two opinions. Senator Ian Mackenzie is reported to have said in Ottawa when asked to comment on the B.C. situation: "There is no new policy with regard to those (Japanese) outside the protected areas. The question may arise later whether they should be permitted to go back to those latter areas. I do not know of any additional restrictions."

Mr. Mackenzie is hedging. His former zeal to protect B.C. from the Japanese seems on the decline and he cannot now very well offer to stake his political career on keeping the Japanese out of his province.

Mr. Howard Green, an able Progressive-Conservative member and hitherto strongly opposed to full rights for the Japanese, is reported to have declined to discuss the issue. He said: "It's a provincial matter. I don't think the Dominion has anything to do with it."

An element of doubt has been introduced into the determination of B.C.'s Liberal and Progressive Conservative members of parliament who have blocked, by forming a united front, efforts to lift federal restrictions on the Japanese.

Besides the all important public opinion and the question of principle, there are other common sense reasons for an immediate end to discriminatory laws and regulations.

British Columbia's employment restrictions tend to force the Japanese into a few fields of employment where they form a labor block desperately dependent on their jobs. A restriction in interior logging operations deprives them of their chief means of livelihood in the interior and forces them elsewhere—mostly to the coast areas—in search of other jobs.

In the federal field, the continuation of racial restrictions will be an even more embarrassing matter than in B.C. if the good opinion of the rest of the world is to be regarded as a matter of some importance.

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Lawyer Fights Race Prejudice in Film "Daisy Kenyon"

SAN FRANCISCO.—What is regarded as a unique consideration of the Japanese American escheat cases in California in a public medium takes place in the motion picture "Daisy Kenyon," which stars Joan Crawford, Dana Andrews, and Henry Fonda.

Andrews, enacting the role of a New York attorney, Dan O'Mara, is asked in Washington by a representative of a "Civil Rights Association" to help with the case of "a Nisei named Sone Noguchi."

On learning that Noguchi is a Nisei GI who received a Purple Heart after being wounded in Italy and then returned to California to find his farm escheated ("stolen by a bunch of slick operators in California" is the dialogue used in the film), O'Mara becomes vitally interested in the Noguchi case and decides to participate in the court action in California even at the cost of dropping other more lucrative cases in his practise.

O'Mara loses the case (the reference here is obviously to the unfavorable decision rendered by the California Supreme Court against Fred Oyama in the Alien Land Law test case) and when he returns to New York, he is upbraided by his partner for "wasting so much time in California."

In a strong, striking sequence, O'Mara faces the camera and says:

"A fight against race prejudice is never a waste of time."—Nichi-Bei Times.

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Mr. Kanshichi Nishimura, Waterways, Alta., on the occasion of his daughter's marriage.

Mr. Tatsuichi Seko, [illegible]

"These Japanese are Ours" -- Vancouver Sun

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... which ... racial ... have changed since Pearl Harbor.

The Japanese whose livelihood in interior forests is to be taken from them are part of the unwieldy mass removed from the Coast when Japan attacked the western democracies. They were relocated for an excellent military reason which time has vindicated.

[illegible] Mackenzie King's [illegible] declaration that they should be settled more or less evenly across Canada because the problem is one to be faced by the whole of Canada and not by B.C. alone."

Very well. There are about 4,000 left in B.C. This is about one-quarter as many as in 1941. Presumably they can be absorbed

[illegible] from them the right to [illegible] which they obtained [illegible] wartime regulation, is a piece of needless aggravation. That merely cuts their new roots and induces them to drift back into their former haunts and habits.

Victoria's policy on this matter appears unconsidered. Unless and until the policy is abandoned, British Columbia will be shamed in the eyes of the whole Dominion.

G. A. Virtue's Brief to Alberta Govt.

The Situation in Alberta

(Following is the text of a brief submitted by the Southern Alberta Joint Committee's counsel, Mr. A. G. Virtue, to the Alberta Government on April 24, 1947.)

To Hon. Mr. Manning and Members of Executive Council Re: Canadians of Japanese Race in Alberta

A. RESIDENTS PRIOR TO WAR:

Approximately 860 persons. Nearly all resident in irrigated areas in Southern Alberta, and adjacent dry lands.

These are permanent residents and constitute no problem.

Approximately 75% British Subjects by Birth or Naturalization.

B. DISPOSSESSED CITIZENS TEMPORARILY RESIDENT IN ALBERTA:

Total .... 3,44[illegible]

Made up as follows:

Canadian Born ....

Naturalized Canadians .... 2,5[illegible]

.... [illegible]

Japanese Nationals (nearly all older people) .... 25[illegible]

.... [illegible]

.... 3,44[illegible]

Under 16 years	1,354
Adult Males	1,158
Adult Females	934
	3,446

C. RESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE OF DISPOSSESSED CITIZENS:

Of these 98½% wish to make their homes in Alberta;

Of the balance 1% (about 100 persons, mostly old people) wish to return to Japan;

The remaining ½ of 1% wish to move to the East.

D. OCCUPATIONAL PREFERENCE OF DISPOSSESSED CITIZENS:

Desired Plans for Future (Families)

	Lethbridge Northern	Coaldale	Taber	Raymond	Total Families
Farming	130	33	64	63	290
Carpenter	2	1	....	....	3
Dressmaker	....	1	....	....	1
Business	12	3	7	4	26
Labour	3	....	1	1	5
Mechanic	1	....	....	1	2
Fishing (Alberta)	10	....	1	....	11
Message	1	....	....	....	1
Housewife	2	....	....	....	2
Undecided	66	22	48	39	175
To East	1	....	1	1	3
To B.C.	5	....	2	1	8
To Japan	1	....	....	....	1
TOTAL	234	60	124	110	528

(Total persons about 3,446)

If necessary 100% of the Canadian Japanese are prepared to work in the beet fields this year in order to save the beet crop.

FORMER OCCUPATION IN B.C.

	Lethbridge Northern	Coaldale	Taber	Raymond	Total Families
Farming	114	25	41	40	220
Fishing	57	18	21	32	128
Business	20	7	12	10	49
Labour	29	7	36	34	106
Carpenter	5	1		4	10
Net Fixer	1				1
Watchmaker	1				1
Storekeeper	1				1
Mechanic	1				1
Shoe Repairing	1			2	3
Newspaper Collector	1				1
Educator	2				[illegible]
Salesman		1			[illegible]
Clerk					[illegible]
No Occupation		1		2	[illegible]
TOTAL	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

E. SCHOOLS:

[illegible]

F. GENERAL FACTS:

(1) [illegible] Canada, and [illegible] in the irrigated areas [illegible] the shortage of [illegible] in the [illegible] of sugar beet is well known. To a large extent the Canadian Japanese are [illegible] to meet this crisis in the sugar beet industry.

This will tide us over a critical period in irrigated land development.

(2) **The Beet Growers Association, which comprises practically all growers of sugar beets in Alberta, (and represents a large majority of farmers of irrigated land) has passed a Resolution of Appreciation of the help of Canadian Japanese in the industry.**

A copy of this Resolution is in the hands of the Government.

In 1946 over two thousand workers were supplied for the

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Report from the National JCCA

THE SECOND NATIONAL JCCA CONFERENCE

will be held in Winnipeg on March 26-29 inclusive. In order to ensure full delegate representation, invitations to all provinces have been extended.

This office has been notified by the B.C. JCCA provincial chapter that their provincial convention will be held in Greenwood, B.C. on February 28-29.

We are also informed by the Ontario Provincial JCCA chapter that the Second Ontario Provincial Conference will be held in London, Ontario, on Feb. 28-29.

THE CONTINUATION OF TRANSITIONAL MEASURES ACT, 1947

will soon be discussed by the members of parliament in Ottawa before the expiry date of March 31. There is danger that the two discriminatory measures in this bill vitally concerning Japanese Canadians, P.C. 251, which denies fishing licenses in B.C., and P.C. 946, which restricts free movement in Canada, may be extended for a further period of one year. During the next two months, every effort will be made by the National JCCA to remind members of Parliament the justification of our contention that P.C. 251 and P.C. 946 should no longer be continued in force on the grounds that their continued enforcement is contrary to democratic principles and the precepts of Canadian citizenship which grant all rights, powers and privileges to citizens of Canada.

To meet the arguments which will undoubtedly be expressed by certain members of parliament for the continuation of these discriminatory measures, it will also be necessary to argue forcibly the fact that Japanese Canadians have indeed become successfully resettled across Canada, both from the economic and social standpoint.

Subsequent to the report received of the emergency problem in B.C. arising from the B.C. government's enforcement of the Crown Timber Act against Japanese Canadians, the National JCCA made vigorous representation to Ottawa against the continuation of this highly discriminatory measure.

TABULATION OF CLAIMS FORMS BY THE NATIONAL JCCA

In order to assist valuators and statisticians employed by the Co-operative Committee in the evaluating and analyzing of the sale of claimants' properties, it is deemed necessary to tabulate claims. Claims will be numbered, tabulated as to districts, type of claim, etc. This necessary work will be carried out by special staff at the National JCCA office. Co-operative Committee lawyers have already been advised to send duplicate copies of claim forms for tabulation purposes to this office. It is planned to complete this work by the end of February.

REPORT ON THE COMMISSIONER'S SECOND HEARING

with Co-operative Committee lawyers in Vancouver, January 9 and 10. This office has been advised that counsel for claimants contended that in determining the fair market value of the property, both real and personal, at the date of the sale, the Commissioner should exclude the effect of the scheme of the evacuation itself, either in enhancing or lowering the values of the property.

The next point that was argued was the question of goodwill in connection with businesses. The Commissioner made no ruling on this matter as he thought it was impossible to determine this matter without reference to the facts. On the point argued in regard to accounts receivable where the Custodian took over these accounts but failed to make effective efforts to collect, the Commissioner ruled definitely that such claims did not fall within the terms of reference.

Government counsel raised the question of whether or not a claim could be made for property lost, destroyed or stolen when it was vested in the Custodian by virtue of the various orders, but where the Custodian had not taken actual physical control or possession of the goods in question. The Commissioner ruled that constructive possession was sufficient and that once this personal property was vested in the Custodian by virtue of the orders and was then lost, destroyed or stolen, he was entitled to compensation [illegible] the fact that the Custodian had not taken [illegible] possession.

At the original [illegible] considerable [illegible] in regards to the [illegible] of the proceedings [illegible] Upon suggestion [illegible] evidence could be put in writing before [illegible] claimant is taken, counsel for claimants in B.C. has experimented with the use of such a form with good results. It is expected that these forms will be made available to claimants' counsel in the various provinces in the near future.

GEORGE TANAKA,
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ALBERTA BRIEF

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beet fields. They supplied approximately 65% of all hand-labour required for the entire sugar beet crop.

(4) The Canadian Japanese are individualists. They do not settle in colonies, but maintain their own homes and run their own businesses.

(5) They do not maintain separate schools. Their children attend public schools, and speak English from birth.

(6) They believe in and practise freedom of religion. A great majority are of the Christian faith.

(7) The younger people, and especially those born in Canada, have embraced the Christian faith in great numbers. As the older people pass away the majority of Christians become larger.

(8) They have an enviable record of good conduct. There is only a small percentage of either juvenile delinquency or adult criminality. Their record compares favourably with the general average in this respect.

(9) They are prepared to maintain themselves by their own efforts, and will not become public charges.

(10) They [illegible] in the ordinary labour market [illegible] that are not [illegible] in the provincial economy.

(11) [illegible] from the new [illegible] development of [illegible]

(12) [illegible]

G. REMEDIES DESIRED:

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This brief is [illegible] submitted on behalf of the [illegible] Japanese [illegible] and others, by

April 3rd, 1947.

A. G. VIRTUE, K.C.,
Their Counsel.

WHAT SOME NEW YORK GIRLS THINK

A Poll on Intermarriage

By ROKU SUGAHARA

NEW YORK.

Intermarriage is a delicate, personal affair.

Usually, it is handled with kid gloves or discussed in hushed whispers, complete with raised eyebrows.

If it were up to the New York Nisei girls, one out of three would be willing to marry a non-Nisei lad. That is, they would seriously consider marrying someone outside of their race.

There's nothing wrong with this kind of sentiment. It is expressed every day in all parts of this country. Of course, in the Little Tokyos of California, such an opinion would be rank heresy. There would be no end of tongue-clucking and head-shaking among the natives.

Well, anyway, here is how 35 typical Manhattan Nisei girls answered my query, "Would you marry someone outside your race?"

Favorable	11
Opposed	21
No Opinion	3

New Yorkers Differ From Coast Lassies

I am sure that such a high ratio in the affirmative, favoring intermarriage, would not hold true in west coast cities, where the large majority of Nisei are today concentrated. In the first place, it is against community tradition; and secondly, it is against the law in California.

In eastern and midwestern cities, however, the above figures would reflect a high degree of accuracy.

What's behind it all?

A cosmopolitan and worldly outlook prevalent in the large eastern cities is a definite factor. A more influential factor is the matter of supply and demand . . . there simply aren't enough Nisei men to go around. The supply is puny. So the girls have to look toward the greener pastures.

The withdrawal of 700 eligible Nisei men from the marital mart via the Tokyo-GI deal has put a definite kibosh on the wistful hopes of many a starry-eyed sister with an eye on matrimony.

Community Sentiments Guide Action

The large majority of the young Nisei, however, cling to the ivy-covered community traditions set up by the Issei. They would rather adhere to the rigid and simple mores of the small, tightly-knit, western towns from whence they came. The idea of stepping over any racial bounds in matters matrimonial is to them sacreligious.

Perhaps most Nisei remember too well the sad tearful plight of dainty Cho Cho San and her tragic attempt to bridge the gap. Else, they recall with a shuddering fear, the tragic consequences of an inter-racial venture in Eugene O'Neill's powerful drama, "All God's Chillun Got Wings."

Like their cousins in Japan, New York girls are following the decided post-war trend of internationalism in matrimony. This is in keeping with the world. Individualism in marriages has obscured the usual rigid rules governing race, color and creed.

The "Yes" Opinions

One Nisei lass puts it thus:

"Marriage is an individual matter and should be settled that way. Every girl has her own life to lead. It is not dependent on racial background nor should it be tied down by a small community's old traditions."

Another declares:

"A girl's own decision should rule. If she feels that a person outside her race is suitable and congenial, then she should obey her impulse instead of thinking what other Nisei might say or feel."

"There simply aren't enough Nisei men. Those who are appealing are married; else, they are economically insecure. The others are just not interesting. So can you blame me for looking into other racial groups?"

"If we Nisei are for becoming Americans in the true sense [illegible] we cannot be tied down merely by the wishes and sentiments of our elders. Americans [illegible] traditions."

"I plan to marry the fellow I like best. I can see, choose, and decide for myself. Why limit yourself to just Nisei? It's stupid."

These Uphold Old Traditions

Since the majority of the Nisei [illegible] traditions [illegible] of California [illegible]

They say:

"My parents would never approve anyone besides a Nisei."

"In the long run I believe we Nisei girls will have the most happiness and highest social acceptance with fellows of our own group."

"Definitely no. I wouldn't even consider marrying outside my own race."

"Many such marriages wind up on the rocks. There are enough chances for an unsuccessful marriage without adding the extra factor of race."

"It's not worth all the bother and explanations that are necessary. The hazard of social rejection is too great for me to even consider intermarriage."

"Perhaps intermarriage may be for the third or fourth generation, but for the Nisei I think it is both unwise and precarious."

"I'd feel sorry for my children if I married outside of my race. [illegible] acquaintances. No, I don't think it would work out."

Present Situation Differs From Issei Plight

There has been many a lurid [illegible] story told on the West coast about some Nisei [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

A decade ago on the west coast, our poll would surely have shown about a 99 to 1 ratio against intermarriage. Today, here in New York, the ratio is down to 2 to 1. Times and conditions certainly have changed.

Tough to Find A Place . . .

I was riding the streamliner on my way up to Rochester, Minn., and fell into conversation with a fellow traveller, a man of education and substance. We talked of this and that and after a bit decided to have a drink together and rang for the waiter.

The white-jacketed porter came, a tall, handsome Negro. He stared at my friend, who stared back.

"Bill!" said my friend, with surprise and welcome in his voice.

"Joe!" said the waiter.

They shook hands and then exchanged the how-have-you-beens and what-do-you-hear-from-the-old-gangs, and haven't-seen-you-since-graduations of a couple of schoolmates who haven't seen one another for a long time.

When the waiter departed to bring our order, my friend told me about him. He named a big midwestern university they both attended and said, "I remember, he was the most brilliant boy in our class. Great fellow, too. Everybody liked him. He won all the honors and took his degree in engineering. I guess it's ten years since I've seen him."

I said, "What's he doing hustling drinks on a train?"

He shrugged. "You know how it is. It's tough for them to find a place. . . ."

When the man returned with the order I couldn't bear to look at him; I felt so guilty and miserable.—Paul Gallico, quoted in Minority Week in Pacific Citizen.

—Pacific Citizen.

九條武子夫人の信仰(一)

レヴェルストック　杉原生

信仰について九條武子夫人の心の跡を偲びたいと思ふ

眞の自分のすがたが寂しく思はれて反省される時、本當の自分の力が目ざめます。と夫人は述べられた。まことに寂しさの反省こそ求道への第一歩であらう。とは云へ人間には、何が故に寂しいと云ふ感情が魂をゆり動かすのであらうか。寂寥の生活、それに就てその由つて來る原因を夫人は明かに述べられる

誰しも此世にただ存在してゐる生存して居ると云ふだけで滿足してゐる者はないであらふ。一歩進めて生きて行く、生活してゆくと云ふ事に想ひ到つた時しみじみと生きることの價値に就て考へさせられるのである。此の價値ある生涯の建設にさゝげる努力は生命を求むる努力される。自分の生命を忘れて漫然と木石のやうに生きようとする考へは、此地上には恐らく實現し得ないであらう。生命のないとなみは刻一刻にはかなくほろびゆくよりしかない。それは何の感激もない、而も淋しい生活と申すより他はない。此のせき寥の生活、其さびしさは、生命の營みを漫然と生きてゐるそのためにわき起る魂の目ざめであり、こゝに如何に生くべきかとの大なる問題に私どもの目ざめたたましいが當然突當ることゝ思はれる

私達はどうしたなれば本當に生きて行けるであらう。どうして生きがひのある生涯に入る事が出來るのであらふか。かういふ歎息はたへず聞くことである

どうして生きて行つたならばいいかと云ふ事は畢竟どうかして意義多く生きたい、どうかして價値ある生涯に入りたいと云ふ眞剣な態度、深刻な念願そのものである夫人は然に、人間のもつ深刻な念願を文字の上に展開された

さびしき反省より價値ある意義ある生涯へ、此の切なる願ひに迫られて私共は求道の旅路を行く。然しながら人生の旅には幾度か險い小路を過ぎ幾度か道もなき荒野を踏み分けなければならない。無明の長夜は行くども明くることなく他をしいたげ自ら不安をせき寥のうちにともすれば小さな誇りをむさぼろうとする。苦惱の海は常に荒く煩惱の林はとこしへに暗いと夫人の言葉のやうに、生き行く現世の旅路は常にけはしく、而もなほ發落と努力と功名と、砂上の大文字は大々に心がかれる。然しそれもまた忽ち消されるのであつた現世にゑがくすべては、所せんははかなき砂上の文字であり、魂の深きにひそむさびしさは、努力や功名などにて充たされるものでない事を夫人は見て居られたのである

うつせよなればたゞひらに
結びし夢ははかなくも
千萬億のながきよに
つくゞくにして秘めらるゝ
うつせよなればはかなしくも
水泡のごとく生れいで
けむりのごとく忘らるゝ

地上の私共の存在は、事新水の上の泡の如く空を流れゆく煙りのやうにもはかなきが眞の相である而も此のやうな相は現世なればと夫人は歎はれた。此地上のうつせ世の人生に意義を見出し、如何にして生きがひのある生涯にはいられるのであらうか

生じたものは必ずほろびる、この厳かな原則の前には貴きも賤しきも男も女も何の差別もない、すべては刻々の生の間に刻々の滅を迎ふるべく運命づけられてゐる然しながら大衆はねはんの境地輝くの理想の世界より之を見る時は一切の事物のすがたはただ一つの花にすぎない。私達は愛著のかなしみにひたりつゝもさとりの光りの前に總てが永遠の命の道程にある事を思へば、あはただしき人生のすがたも常住不滅への第一歩であることが知られる

夫人はこゝに人生の意義を見出[illegible]の上から見出されたのであつたら[illegible]不滅への永遠の生命への第一歩こそ現世の究の意義であると、此の自覺に立つてならば[illegible]信仰も斷めて深き意義を大なる價値を自身のうちに見出すであら[illegible]けれども[illegible]の人達の信念夫れは如何にして得るべきであらうか。求道の深きゆく道程にあるさらに武子夫人の爽想の上に與[illegible]たいと思ふ

フォラム(投稿歡迎)

南部オンタリオから見るアルバタ

(完)

アルバタに於ける過去の運動は比較的に云へば、一時的な立場の改善であつたと云つてもよいが、[illegible]サインの問題が起つてより、戰時損害賠償問題と、漸次政治的な運動に移行してゐるのが現在の状態であると云へる。而して問題は一世の時代より二世の時代に移りつゝある事が判然と我々の目に映じて來る

アルバタにはユース・カウンシルと云ふ二世のグループがあり白人の間にも相當の運動を續けてゐる。私達が家族の構成がアルバタの地にふさわしからず將來性を見出し得ない立場から、當時オンタリオの南部に再移動した折に、レイモンド地方親和會は事態の進展に從つて、從來の移動者のみの會であつてはならない、當然在住者全部、先住者も含んだ會でなくてはならないとの立場より、苦心に苦心を重ねて組織し相當以上の功績を殘した親和會に終止符を打つて市民協會を再組織し、先住者、移動者、二世の集合体たらしめるようになつた

其後の事情は知る由もなかつたのであるが、昨年春にニューカナデアンに出た聲明書にコールデール相互扶助會、レイモンド市民協會の名が出てゐたが、私としては當然あの聲明に賛成したい。問題はアルバタのみのものでなく全國的に運動しなければならぬ事態に進展して來てゐるのである

追放阻止、財産損害賠償問題と政府に交渉を重ね成功を得たのはコーペラチヴコミテーの力以外の何物でもないことを知る。されば當然情義の上からもコーペラチヴコミテーに協力して行く事が當然であらう。ヴアオツ氏も我々に同情し努力してゐるのは事實であり又人格者である事は衆知の通りである。然し問題はアルバタの一角に於て解決し得るとは思はれない。全國的な統合的運動に於てのみ解決し得るのではないだらうか

いまは一世と二世の協力を更に一歩すゝめて、寧ろ二世を先頭にして一世は背後にある資金の提供或は過去の經驗を提供する程度で二世の今後に對する社會運動の基礎を培かひ育てる時だと思ふ

レスブリッヂを中にして南北両地域の人々が過去五ヶ年間協力一致して相當の功績を殘し、今後表面的な活舞臺にのり出て一層の活動が希望されてゐる時に、南北が二分されたやうな印象を遠くオンタリオの片田舎に居て受けるのは、南部アルバタが全國的な運動の波に對して未だ全面的に乘出してゐないように思はれることゝ共に殘念である

ついでに宗教的な問題に少しふれて見たい。原則的に宗教は自由であるべきで、此國は基督教國であるのは事實であるが、然し幾多の宗教が存在してゐることも衆知の通りである。私は自分のせまい見地よりして、佛教信者である立場から佛教に對して少し書いてみたいと思ふのである

第一に從前のやうな日本的な佛教は改善されるべきであると云ふ事を主張したい。從來の佛教徒が反國家的であつたとは云はない私自身佛教會の内部にあつたのでよく知つてゐるからである

併し今は時代の流れで事態が進展し、一世の時代より二世の時代に、日本語からカナダの國語にと進み、腰かけ主義より恒久てきな建設にと進展してゐることを知らねばならない

佛教の今後の發展を希望するなれば加奈陀の佛教とする事である印度に起つた佛教が支那、朝鮮を經て日本に入り、日本化されニッポンを中心とした宗教となつたのが發展して今日に至つてゐるように、加奈陀に入つた佛教も加奈陀化せねば發展の可能性はないと云ふのが其の理由である

宗教の原則てきな點では[illegible]教も佛教も[illegible]に於ても違ひはない筈である。[illegible]が問題は指導者の頭の轉換如何である。從前のやうに一世にも難解な言葉で[illegible]らべても二世には伸々理解できないであらふ事は當然であるので[illegible]の信仰では理性的な理解で[illegible]世にはアッピールしないであらう

二世に對して若し一世人が佛教とはどんなものかを話してしたら或程度の理解が行くまでに説明できる人が果して幾人あるであらうか？　自ら佛教信者であると云ふ二世が、英語は十分に話せるのに佛教のアウトラインも分らず説明も出來ないので不思議に思はれる疑問を持たれる事は當然だらう

私はトロント佛教會の[illegible]スー[illegible]に二[illegible]つてみて、[illegible]師の英語説教をきいたが、[illegible]今後の佛教が期待できるように思つた。二度目はクリスマスに近い時であつたが、男、女五十人位の若い男女青年が集まつてゐた。教會の[illegible]家のやうな熱心な求道で[illegible]教會[illegible]二世であ[illegible]に[illegible]事[illegible]の佛教[illegible]更に一歩進[illegible]日本人の[illegible]の佛教[illegible]加奈陀の佛教[illegible]も[illegible]の中にも[illegible]儀式[illegible]の上[illegible]必要だと思ふ[illegible]にも佛教會が[illegible]つ[illegible]ある事は[illegible]しい事であるが、[illegible]家の[illegible]教でも[illegible]つて[illegible]の社會運動をなす[illegible]であると思ふ。過去に於ては[illegible]教信者の間に[illegible]事が[illegible]問題の[illegible]に注意すべき事である。[illegible]は[illegible]して[illegible]ではない。[illegible]に[illegible]した[illegible]る必要がある[illegible]加奈陀へ[illegible]分散した[illegible]の基礎を打建てねばならぬ[illegible]あらゆる機會に於て[illegible]人の中にとけ込むように努力し、我々を理解させ過去の誤りを[illegible]改めて[illegible]であるが、これは佛教に就ても同じ事であう。[illegible]カナダの佛教として出發する事を[illegible]は念願したいのである。

日本難民救済に就て

トロント　清水小三郎

一九四六年の八月休戦後一ヶ年[illegible]ろ方法をもつて為すべきか、と云ふ事ではじめて民間の諸團體が日本[illegible]してある[illegible]、同年の春[illegible]救済に從事し得る許可が米軍[illegible]のための[illegible]から下つたのであつた。そして[illegible]から派遣されたサット[illegible]て其の條件は「諸機關は合同して[illegible]が設置され、日本經由の援助は[illegible]一の仲介の下に救済品の發送も[illegible]、難民の[illegible]行はねばならない」と云ふ[illegible]適正である事が[illegible]のであつた。それで[illegible]國內の十三[illegible]、十一月十九日ヶ團體は聯合して、[illegible]「[illegible]の友の會」、[illegible]會長[illegible]合同救濟聯ボンシー・アナア・[illegible]の有志十數名がン・エシア（通稱ララ）[illegible]に集まつて[illegible]ア（公認救済團體）――を組織し、[illegible]「[illegible]委員會」を組織したの衣類、食料品、醫藥品等を[illegible]であつたポンへ送る事に協力したのである。

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[illegible]八月末に於ける十三ヶ團體の一つ[illegible]にその中[illegible]種[illegible]のためである友の會は[illegible]に[illegible]を要する事なので、[illegible]本部から[illegible]に通信があつて、國に於て救済事業を實行して[illegible]奈陀の有志も[illegible]友[illegible]の[illegible]救済[illegible]しては[illegible]か、と相談して來た[illegible]トの下に活動する事に決した[illegible]援[illegible]希望者があるが、[illegible]各體には[illegible]

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[illegible]出版雜誌を利用し、パンフレットを印刷して教會關係の諸團體へ發送した。トロント市及び附近では[illegible]衣類の寄贈集め及び荷造りは日本人[illegible]會（今の市民協會）一世部の[illegible]社會部（部長信太三郎氏）の[illegible]が[illegible]され、衣類の分類及び[illegible]には基督教婦人會員及び他の有志婦人[illegible]が助力された。それで今日まで[illegible]にオンタリオ委員會では五千五[illegible]千[illegible]百パウンドの衣[illegible]を[illegible]送る事が出來た。[illegible]一方各地の日系人が協力された[illegible]めに今日までに現金の寄附が[illegible]二百十四弗あり、種々研究の結果他の品物は[illegible]して米國の方が安價で品物もよいが、粉ミルクだけは加奈陀の方が品質は優秀で値段が安いので、それを送る事にし既に[illegible]萬四百パウンドを送つた

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オンタリオ委員會は最初から一時的の團體として[illegible]一日も早く全加奈陀的な大機關により此の事業が取扱はれる事を希望し、カナダ[illegible]

[illegible]宣傳パンフレットを[illegible]最近五千部の[illegible]限刷して全國の有力團體や個人に寄[illegible]で發送した。終りに今日の[illegible]ろ、十一パウンドの個人[illegible]

[illegible]が教會團體の本部と交渉を續けて[illegible]たが、それが報いられて今までの[illegible]諸團體を支援救済いの[illegible]ために努力して加奈陀[illegible]救濟會は[illegible]の今日「[illegible]」の名の下にニッポンも加へて大々的に[illegible]衣類の寄集を開始する事になつた。トロント市の倉庫は[illegible]ウエスレー合同教會の[illegible]二五〇、[illegible]ちらに[illegible]下室である[illegible]も[illegible]る筈である[illegible]の人口に應じて分配して各國に送る事になるのである。それでオンタリオ委員會は衣類募集の方は中止し、その方を協力することにな[illegible]つた

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しかしオンタリオ委員會では現金の寄附は從前通りに取扱つて、粉ミルクだけニッポンへ送る事にし[illegible]

[illegible]は別として、[illegible]ニッポンに對する一般的救済は、政府自体を通さなければ他に送る途はないと云ふ[illegible]配慮しなければならない。

マニトバの日本救済

（ウイニペッグ發）マニトバ州に於ける[illegible]教[illegible]運動は[illegible]マニトバ州日系市民協會が合同教會と協力して続けて居る[illegible]

[illegible]現金寄附は市民協會、[illegible]衣類などの寄贈は[illegible]協同組合の[illegible]ある時之に托して一[illegible]組合の店に集める[illegible]いふ事に取決めてある[illegible]、去四日の委員會に於て[illegible]の寄附金[illegible]に就て更に[illegible]議した結果、市[illegible]内は委員が手わけして廻う、市外は[illegible]の地方委員や在住[illegible]して集めて[illegible]ふことになつたので、[illegible]つて[illegible]せられたい[illegible]集まつたものは別項[illegible]水[illegible]の[illegible]交[illegible]て[illegible]ある方法[illegible]處理して[illegible]事になつてゐる

市協オンタリオ州協議會

一月廿八、九兩日ロンドンに於て

（ロンドン發）オンタリオ州日系[illegible]市民協會の協議會が二月廿八、九兩日當地に於て開かれる事になつた。土曜日には[illegible]や協議があつてから[illegible]ロント[illegible]のバスケットボール試合があり[illegible]には歡迎のダンス會があり、[illegible]日には協議と[illegible]がある

[illegible]會開[illegible]のため[illegible]二日の人達にも十分な[illegible]へ、後でダンス會があつた

[illegible]り日本救済についての報告、全[illegible]協會創立の件を議したが何分小人數のこと[illegible]老若男女總て[illegible]市協を組織する事になり會則を審議し選擧の結果初年度の役員は次の[illegible]諸氏に決定した

[illegible]市協の小[illegible]會長の挨拶などあり第二式は大西乙吉氏が司會、[illegible]ストン[illegible]ローレンス河流域の[illegible]介[illegible]は日本救済[illegible]品[illegible]配給[illegible]なるの活動寫眞があつて素藥の[illegible]サーヴイス、福引、かくし芸など[illegible]打解け[illegible]る盛會だつた

▲會長福島ハリー▲副坂本吉榮▲會計木下善市▲幹事山もと武田上靜枝▲議長松林平次郎▲副[illegible]竹田ケン▲監査役　藤林時太郎阿部彈　寺北秀男▲評議員谷口ユミ　永尾兼藏　岩田高滿松林明　鮫島宗隆

チヤザムの演藝會

（チヤザム發）ケント二世ボーイズ・リーグでは一月二日にコン[illegible]委員會の挨拶を述べ、次で信夫氏[illegible]司會、[illegible]田委員長より挨拶及び新[illegible]男女多數が出席して[illegible]三氏が[illegible]ダンス[illegible]會に於て開催されたが

懇親會

トロント市の一世

（トロント發）市協一世部の[illegible]部會は一月廿[illegible]ホールに於て

スローカン

日系市協生る

（スローカン・シチー發）一月廿五日午後當地ニューデンヴァー・ホールに於て當地在住日系人全部の會合を開き、松林氏を議長に推して市民[illegible]

テーバーに

佛教會創立さる

（テーバー發）一月十七日午後一時佛教會創立する件を一同にはかつたところ滿場一致賛成を得たので直に役員を選擧、次で一月廿五日幹部を有志の會合を[illegible]谷氏宅にて開催、會費は一家族一弗と決定して會員募集を始める事になつた。役員は次の通り

▲會長坂本小次郎▲副會長[illegible]議長三島鶴吉▲議長森下永吉▲幹事山岸彌三郎▲補佐佐藤秋三郎▲會計關谷太七▲補佐前川徳次郎▲監査役　村上淺松　上野末吉▲内陣係　西村[illegible]　上杉文七　上野末吉　野村八百藏川端文次郎▲各區世話人[illegible]　宮田義春　小田[illegible]七太郎　[illegible]島房五郎　[illegible]三郎　崎山熊太郎　吉川徳次郎小[illegible]又四郎　山本伯藏　水野[illegible]今田芳太郎　[illegible]　上杉文七　岡本平藏　上野末記　[illegible]澤竹次郎　鳴[illegible]次郎　青木伊之助　友光首　武良熊市[illegible]本好松　野村八百藏　永井松之助

ウイニペッグ佛青

（ウイニペッグ發）[illegible]

オパサチカ新便り

全達

[illegible]

食料　着る　薬る　香るを送って　救いませう　援けませう

同胞に繋る日本の人達を

[illegible]敎會中心に行[illegible]日本學童達、[illegible]安心、出來る[illegible]一般國民の[illegible]、ボール[illegible]、防水[illegible]紙、スチール・バンド、携帯[illegible]製、郵便局へ持參、發送

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●目録にない物でも御希望により[illegible]

◎日本からニュース――[illegible]の處理を[illegible]東京、大阪、下ノ關、門司、長崎の五ヶ所に新たに倉庫[illegible]十二月中[illegible]元旦[illegible]

トロント市

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官有林働き禁止命令の實行中止

各方面からの抗議で州政府は問題を州議會にはかる

【晩香坡發】ビーシー州政府は去る一月廿一日付で發した日系人の官有林就働禁止規定復活を中止する事になつた旨一月卅日發表した。…烈な抗議があつた爲のだと云ふのために約八百人にのぼるビーシー州奥地の木材勞働者は三月早々に問題が州議會で檢討されるまでは現職に留まることを許されるであらう。州政府土地山林省では先に州內奥地の伐木業經營者に對して發した日系人を解雇せよとの通告は議會で決定を見るまで保留することを通知したとケネー土地山林相は發表し、アンスコム代理首相は政府の政策變更に關して次のごとく聲明してゐる

△日系人の官有林就働問題に就して各種團體から提出された件は本日の閣議に於て全的に討議した

△日系人の官有林就働禁止通告は政府と官有林を使つてゐる者の間に取かはされてゐる契約條件から起つて來た手續上の問題であるが、此條項は議會の協贊を經てゐるもので、それは一九〇二年に通過し其後度々の議會で其原則が再確認されてゐるものである。そこで若し此條項を除いたら政府は議會を無視する事になると考へられるのである

△此問題はビーシー州における日系人總ての事がらを含む最も重要なるものであるところから、政府は全問題を來るべき議會にかける事にした。そこで先に出した通告（日系人解雇）は議會の決定を見るまでは實施されない

ビーシー市(協)代表者出張

州政府に禁止命令撤回方を要請

日系人の官有林就働禁止に對してはビーシー州日系し民きよう會、全加日系し民きよう會、カナダ市民自由聯盟晩香坡支部、國際木材勞働者組合、國際聯合きよう會其他から猛烈なる抗議が提出され晩香坡のサン及びプラヴィンス兩紙社說も此抗議を支持した。ビーシーの、ゼーシーシーエーからは特に小野寺英夫、石原ドクター、木那消治三代表とノリス辯護士がヴイクトリアへ急行して一月廿九日州政府のケネー土地山林相と會見し、就働禁止命令は日系し民多數を含む點を指摘してその撤回方を要請した。次で三十日にはノリス辯護士が作製したビーシー・ゼーシーシーエーからのブリーフが閣議に提出されたが、それにはビーシー州奥地の木材產業に日けい人就働を禁止する事は彼等に殘されてゐる唯一の仕事口を取上げて彼等がパブリックの厄介になることを餘儀なくさせ彼等がよき市民とならうとしてゐる氣持を破壞して失業流浪者となし沿岸地方に歸つて行く事を發働する事になると述べてあつた。ナショナル・ゼーシーシーエーもビーシー・チヤプターを支持してオタワ政府及びビーシー州首相へ抗議電報をおくつた

國際木材勞働組合 其他も闘爭に參加

國際木材勞働者組合の地方會長プリチエツト氏は、州政府の解雇命令に從つて日系人就働者を解雇する山林業者は國際木材勞働者組合のきョウ約を破ることとなると言明し「本組合は組合員の何人に對する如何なる差別取扱ひを毫も用捨しない」と云ひ、一月廿七日の組合役員會は滿場一致を以て二ツケイ人就働禁止規定の復活に抗議を可決し、此問題に就いて州政府に會見を申込んだ。晩香坡勞ぎら會ぎ（シーシーエル）も木材業者團體と會見して抗議に加はり、市民自由聯盟は州政府の行動を非難する長文のステートメントを發し「之は加奈陀のシミン權法をカナダが採約してゐる國際聯合の憲章を犯すものである」と述べ、尚止規ていが人種的差別を基礎としてゐる點を突いた。又國際聯合きよう會支部も抗議のステートメントの中で若しビーシー州政府が日系人就働禁止規定を撤回しなかつたら國際聯合本部において加奈陀は非難されるであらうと指摘した

一方木材業者をも代表する晩香坡のカナダ製造業者きよう會は意見到達に遲々としてゐて同きよう會のダルトン支配人は「奥地業者から問題を提起してきたから向ふ二週間內に開かれる役員會で審議されるであらう」と云つた程度である

日系人鑛內就働禁止規定

條件は削除したが「リース契約」で實行を續ける

（ヴイクトリア發）制定後五十年にもなる日系人の炭坑鑛山の鑛內就働禁止法は、州政府の權限外にあることが發見されたが、此禁止は他の方法を以て何れにしても繼續されるであらうとマクダナルド鑛山相は一月廿八日發表した。此人種的差別條項は鑛山取締法中から削除されたが將來は鑛山をリースするに當つて日本人、支那人乃至無市民は坑內に使用しないことを保證する事を要求される事になるらう。此禁止は目下問題となつてゐる官有林就働禁止規定と同じもので、ビーシー州に於いては大部分の在邦人は無市民であり投票權を持つ事が出來るところから見て兩者とも主として日系人を目當にしたものである。日系人は無市民であつても投票權はないのである。又「アジア系人」の費さうとし規則はあらゆる土木工事契約中にも含まれてゐる

全き(市)民權

日系人に與へよと ビーシー大學生決議

（晩香坡發）一月卅一日晩のビーシー大學生大會は、日系加奈陀人に完全なる市民權を與へよと要求する決議を通過した。カムループス出身の北モニミー一世も戰士の一人で「戰爭中私達は敵性人として取扱はれたけれども自分達はカナダ市民と心の中に持するものであつ、人種や宗教の色などは國家の事ではない事を實證して選んだのである」と述べ「敎養に加奈陀人として義務を果し一化する機會を與へよ」と訴へて大拍手を受けた右の決議は大學內の各種クラブも[illegible]非公式ではあるが投票の結果も百パーセント支持してゐるさうである

（桑港發）加州の外人土地所有禁止法を日系米し民に適用する事はできないと米大審院で判決した結果、加州政府司法部は、日けい人所有の土地を沒收する事を州法廷に持出してゐた四十餘ケース全部を取下げるらしい

全加市協田中書記長

月餘ニワタル西部各地旅行ノ目的

（トロント發）全加日系市民協會の田中書記長は二月一日夜トロントを出發して月餘にわたる西部各地の日系人中心地方間の旅行にのぼつたが市協では毎年少くとも一回は此の種の旅行を計畫してゐる右に關して市きようの本部全國委員長はステートメントを發して、書記長今回の旅行目的は

（一）各地における各種問題を調査して、日系人の利益のために全加市きようとしてよりよき行動ができるようにするため

（二）一層よき全國的きよう力の一段階として各州チヤプターとの更に密接なる協力を促す

（三）全加市きようのプログラムを遂行し其仕事を明確にする

（四）全國本部の仕事其他を各州チヤプターに報告する

などである事を說明し、全國本部としては加奈陀全土の日系人の事は何事によらず援助するつもりであり書記長の今回の旅行はきよう力の機會を與へるものであるから全加市きようのやつてゐる仕事に對しては提議や批評等をなし書記長の旅行を一段と意義あらしめるように援助してもらいたいと要請してゐる

全國大會のホールも決定

（ウイニペッグ發）全加市きようの田中書記長は汽車がおくれて今週火曜日午後にウイニペッグ到着同夜はマニトバ市きようの全國大會準備委員と會合して來る三月二十六日──二十九日ウイニペッグで開催される事になつてゐる第二回全國きよう議會に就て種々打合せをとげ、翌水曜日夜はマニトバ市きようの合同委員會に出席して賠償要求問題や制束問題其他全加市きようの仕事につき報告、長時間に亘り色々な問題に就て懇談した。そして木曜日には更に大會準備委員と共に協議會場の選定等にあたつたが四日間にわたる會議場はマルボローホテルのザーン・バンケット・ホールと決定した。書記長は金曜日朝の汽車でレジーナへ向つた

一世部大會

市協トロント支部で 二月十四日夜

（トロント發）市きようトロントチヤプター一世部では來る二月十四日（土）午後八時からサーカネージョンス敎會に於て第一回の大會を開催し、市きようトロントチヤプター其他につき概要報告なし

△オンタリオ州及全加市きようの全國きようぎ會

△ニッポン難民救濟

△對日本救濟の圖書

其他一世部の今後の活動につき議することに二月三日開催の一世部委員會で決定したがトロント在住一般一世の出席が要望されてゐる

研究的な座談會を 毎月第二金曜日に

（トロント發）市きようトロント・チヤプター一世部では毎月一回第二金曜日に一定の問題に就いて座談的に研究會を開く事に最近の研究部の會合で決定、第一回は來る二月十三日（金）午後八時からサーカネージョンス敎會で開く事になつた。同夜のプログラムはカナダを理解させるように努した活動、二、三の決議をなし其の研究を中心として研究をするのである。又研究部では歸化申請者に必要なるキヤ、政府發行の「カナダ市民となるには」と云ふパンフレットを會合へ出席した人々へ無料で配付する事になつてゐる茶菓のサーヴイスもあるが、會費は二十五仙で多數の出席するよう希望されてゐる

ニューカナデアン

在加日本人の爲の獨立不偏・週刊紙

ウイニペグ市マカルマン街 [illegible] 電話五 [illegible]
日本文編輯者 梅月高市
購讀料 前金 一ヶ年 [illegible] 弗 六ヶ月 [illegible] 弗
廣告料 十五字詰め一行 [illegible]
契約指名廣告は [illegible]

社說

山林問題とビーシー州民ノ意見

ビーシー州政府が日系人の[illegible]林業勞働禁止規定を[illegible]しようとした問題は、同州の日系人に對する感情が著しく[illegible]的に變つたことを示すものであつた。ビーシー州政府が突然に日系人の山林勞働者解雇を命令を出した背後の動機が何であるにせよ、何れにしても大反對に會つて政府は見込を失してきた。問題に對する最後の決定は三月の州議會にまかされることになつたが、その時には勞働分野その他日系人に對する諸制限の問題が再び檢討されるであろうし、參政權の問題も考慮されるであろう。そして若しもビーシー州の公衆の輿論發表を通じるべきとするならば日系人に對する州のあらゆる制限も[illegible]

[illegible]は[illegible]からずして除かれるであろう見ることもできるであろう。

ビーシー州の此の[illegible]が[illegible]にきこえ[illegible]、これまで[illegible]に[illegible]的意見を[illegible]代議士達も[illegible]的となつた如くである。新聞紙上にさえもビーシー上院議員も[illegible]一の代議士も多くを語る[illegible]これは州の問題である」という風に言つている。

ビーシー州における種々の制限は日系人全體にとつて甚だ[illegible]であらざるを得ない傾向をもたらせているが、其他の日系人は生計の手段を奪われ[illegible]で林業就職禁止[illegible]等からも[illegible]ないのでそこの他に、[illegible]として、職業を他の仕事に[illegible]ない状態に追込むことであろう。若しも[illegible]というものが重視されるならば、人種的制限を續けることは、ビーシー州にかけるよりも[illegible]

オタワ政府を一層困らせる事になるであろう。吾々は、ヴイクトリアとオタワの雙方に於て日系カナダ人に對する制限を直に取去る努力がなされることを希望し且つ期待するものである。

▲ビーシー州の日系人の[illegible]林禁止問題に對しては西部カナダの各新聞ともこぞつて之を非難する社説を掲げているが、中でも晩香坡のサン紙とプロヴィンス紙のは特に目立つている。サン紙などは最早や「ジャップ」などという言葉を使わずすべて「ジャパニーズ」と書くようになつた

メモランダム

T・U

カナダの法律施行

カナダ市民となるに就いて（一）

カナダの法律は、全國的なものと州の[illegible]通りの基準による法廷組織によつて施行されている。カナダに於ける最高の裁判所はスプリーム・コート・オヴ・カナダ（大審院）であつて、カナダ内の他の裁判所からの上告を審理する所である。こゝではブリチッシュ・ノース・アメリカン・アクト（カナダ憲法）の解釋について疑義が生じ聯邦政府から要求がある場合は其判斷を與えたり、聯邦と州の間に起る係爭を審理したりする。大審院は七名の判事から成つていて、大審院長のほかに六名の次席判事が居る

エキスチェカー・コートは、特許、商標、著作權及び政府に對する提訴を審理する（オタワ政府が移動日系人の財産を強制管理處分に附したことに對し日系人が政府を相手どつて訴えたのは此の法廷である）

アドミラリティー・コート（海事裁判所）は、航海、海上損害に關する要求其他船舶一般に關する事を審理する所である

各州には、高等法院、地方裁判所、カウンティー（區裁判所）、巡廻さいばん等があり、民事、刑事雙方を處理する。また多くの市町村には警察法廷があり、小さなケースを處理する

此のカナダの法律施行について指摘されなければならないことは刑法は加奈陀全土を通じて單一な統合されたものであるのに對し、民法の方は各州夫々で制定しているという點である。

各州の議會と行政權

加奈陀内の九州は、聯邦政府に於ける下院と同じ機構の州議會をもつている。クェベック州では特に此の州議會のほかにレジスレーチヴ・カウンシル（立法評議會）というものをもつているが、それは一種の上院の如きものであつて、聯邦議會における上院の如きものである。

各州の行政權は、レフテナント・ガヴァナー（知事、總督）、首相、内閣が行使するが、其の機構は聯邦政府と同様のものである

市町村會の權能

政府形態の第三は各州内で區分されている市町村のものである。市町村政府は、憲法により州議會の管理下におかれているところから、[illegible]州内を通じて市町村の政府形態は甚しい差違がある

しかしながら總括としては、市町村政府も、市町村それ[illegible]の大きさや重要性に從つて選出される市長か町村長を首長とする市[illegible]村會により運營されている。此の市町村會の權能は州の法律によつて其要求をきめられているが、大体において市町村のバラック[illegible]オーナー（土木工事）やサーヴィスに於ける課税の權能が其中に含まれている。又市町村は其の權能を行使してする仕事のなかには公衆衞生、公共の水道や電力、警察、消防等がある。市町村會が重要な職能をもつて仕事をして行くもので、教育の事から[illegible]取扱う事務のことを[illegible]がある

一般的に云つてこれらのボードのメンバーは市町村會議員同様に選擧民から選擧されたものである

ニッポンの雜誌豫約申込者におわび

●米國にある日本雜誌輸入[illegible]を通して本社が取次で居るニッポンの雜誌が未だに月々注文した程入手できぬために、豫約申込願に從つて居いたほどづい願うように配達している始末で、月おくれにつなり號が飛びとびしてか豫約申込者に對し迷惑をかけていることを大變心苦しく思つております

●しかし最近米國の[illegible]から來た手紙によると「二月號から[illegible]各種雜誌は[illegible]に近る用紙を使用することになつて紙質もよく印刷も鮮明になるだろう」との事であり、値段も幾らか多少は引下げられるだろうとおります

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■結婚 モントリオール 宇野[illegible]三

結婚御挨拶

[illegible]郎氏の二女 八重子さんと 西村英雄氏（既報山田ト渡り）は宮崎孝一郎氏夫妻の御世話で婚約中だつたが一月十七日國際教會で小宮由牧師によりて結婚式を擧げ北京榁で披露されトロント方面へ新婚旅行された

杉本英三
西村愛子

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「日本の國籍に入らねば島流し!」

特高より脅されて二重國籍となり歸米できぬ二世が提訴

（京都發）ハワイへ歸るパスポートや乘船券まで手に入れながら、戰時中特高から强制入籍された日本國籍のため乘船間際に歸國不能となり「國籍不存在確認訴訟」という珍らしい提訴をした二人の若い二世が居る……京都驛前ステーション・ホテルに宿泊中の通譯大鐵光子さん（二三）…井信雄君（二一）の二人で、光子さんの場合の事情は次ぎのごとくである

◇

ハワイ生れ、一九四一年米國市民權をもつたまゝニッポンへ歸つて開戰となり神戸…通り二丁目の父親秀七氏と同居して居たが米國市民籍のため特高警察がたえず監視、やむなく半年毎に居住許可を受けて居たが終戰前の一九四五年六月「ニッポンの國籍に入らなければ島流しにする」とおどされたので秀七氏が同町役場で本籍を…ニッポン國せきを得させていたところ、敗戰後光子さんが生れ故郷のハワイへ歸る事になり正式手續の後昨年五月パスポートを入手、横濱から渡米の乘船間際に二重國せきがたたつて歸國不能となつたため京都で通譯をしながら同じ二重國せきの悲みを持つ…井君と共に此程東京地方民事裁判所に前記日本國せき不存在の訴訟を提起、渡米の日を待つて居るもので一月廿二日同氏から京都地裁に問ひ合せがあつたので近く法廷に問になる筈である

光子さん談……私達は自分の自由意志で日本國せきに入つたものではなく、又日本の投票權を行使した事もないので當然米國の市民權が生きているわけです早くハワイへ歸れるよう日本の籍を消してほしいと思つてます

市民權を失う二世七千人

何れも無知ご止むなき事情のため

（東京發）開戰當時日本に居て出生した日系米國市民一萬五千の中約七千人は彼等の米市みん權を喪失し…ような形勢にある。彼等の殆どは例外なしに米國の市みん權を保持したいのであるが無知又は彼等自身ではどうする事も出來なかつた事情のために米市みん權を失つたのである。彼らが米市みん權を失つた事情を内譯にするとこの如くで

千七百人……日本の軍隊に入つた爲め（之も自ら進んで入つた者は、若しあつたとしてもホンの少數でしかないと米領事館では云つて居る）

八千五百人……就職と生活のために米市みん權を放棄して日本國籍を受諾した者、其他は日本の官吏に就任した

八七百人……一九四六年四月の日本の總選擧に投票した者、之らの中大部分は二世女子であるが、彼女等はアメリカ式なデモクラシーの答へから投票にかけつけたのであり、日本の投票に參加したら自動的に米市みん權を放棄する事になると云う點を忘れて了つていたのである

百日ゼキ豫防に特效

鼻から吹込めば免疫百パーセント

（舞鶴發）百日ゼキ（フーピング・カフ）の豫防に特効のある生菌が京大醫學部細菌教室で多年研究を續けていた大阪國立病院小兒科長大谷榮夫博士、丹後中央病院小兒科長山本勇志氏らにより完成された、之は細菌部…次郎博士の指導下に…氏がビタミン・シーを使つて發見した「ピーチーオー」とよぶ生菌で、此の生菌を子供の鼻から吹き込むと細菌の本體に免疫組織ができるものである

◇

過去五年間に三千人に實驗した處…生菌を吹きこんでから三ケ月以内は百日ゼキにかゝる罹…は二〇パーセントであるが、六ケ月以上は一人もかゝらなかつたと云う…結果を示し、此生菌を百日ゼキの流行期の六ケ月以前に子供の鼻から吹きこんでおけば免疫率百パーセントである事を立證せた、今までは百日ゼキの豫防はワクチン注射以外にないとされ、しかも免疫期間が短かつたが、新發見の生菌吹き込みによる免疫法は注射のように痛くなく副作用も全くなく、而も免疫期間が一生續くと云われる程長いのが特長とされている

平和の地固

大阪に「ユネスコ」協會

（大阪發）大阪ユネスコ協會發會式が一月廿二日大阪朝日會館で開催された。同協會代表今村荒男大總長の挨拶に始まり「我々はユネスコを愛する世界の同志と手をにぎり共にユネスコの精神顯現に挺身しもつて戰爭なき世界に人類永遠の幸福と繁榮を築き上げんことを誓う」との宣言を朗讀の後、講演に移り京都ユネスコ協會々長湯淺八郎同志社大學總長、…關西大學長の講演あり西村朝日新聞取締役は「世運…動の旗行はフランスにおいても大に注目されている」と述べ朝日組…紙を公開した。次で森戸文相、…外相、大山郁夫氏からのメッセージのひろうがあり、各方面のユネスコ協力のことばの後、大阪府…政部代表の祝辭があつた

▲ユネスコと云ふのは國際聯合教育科學文化機關（國際聯合教育科學文化機關）の頭字をとつた略語で、一口に云へば文化の國際會議とも云うべきもので世界を各國民の知的な繋りを通じて内面的に結ばうとしたよう云うのが最大の目的であるユネスコ憲章の冒頭の一句に示すきの如く說いてある

「戰爭は人々の心の中で起るものであるから平和の防衛も人々の心の中で行われねばならない」

…の我々…に…の心」の…めた名…あるタイトルだ…る…りでは米國以外の諸…の名よ…たくられたのは…史が最初の人であろうと思う

少年の町から市民證

大阪の孤兒の母、大濱さんの名譽

（大阪發）フラナガン神父から、「少年の町」の名譽市みん權がはじめて日本におくられた――大阪市淀川區の大濱文子さん（四三）が其人で、育て親らの孤兒をふりすて、「小島の春」の主人公さながら、めぐまれぬ…に盡したり、終戰後親を失つた孤兒や、「街の女」の救いの母として盡した數々の物語が大阪軍政部司令官グレーグ大佐の感激をよび、昨年暮大佐の努力で大濱さんのあばら家も更生した、人知れず盡す大濱さんの眞心にうたれた大佐は…て米國ネブラスカ州オマハの「少年の町」で第七…につての…ていたところから彼女のあつい…フラナガン神父に名譽市民證の交付を申請した

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昨年五月同女史にもおつて彼女の人がらを知つているフラナガン神父は早速「少年の町」の委員會にはかつたところ全員一致で可決、市長ジョー・ミツチェル君から「僕らの名譽市民になつて下さい」と云つて來たもので一月廿二日グレーグ司令官から傳達式が大濱さんの家で行われた

へベイトグ大佐談……この名…

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平和への旅路
―政治と宗教のつながり―

佐々弘雄

こゝに平和と婦人の關聯を考へる前に、私はまず宗教と政治と平和の關係を考へてみたいと思う。

凡そ、宗教と政治との關係を論じ、其社會を計るところに此時代を救う鍵がある。私は此問題をまず社會科學の角度から檢討してみよう。そもそも個人利潤を前提にした資本主義の理論そのまゝでは、特に日本に於て、到底やつてゆけない。なぜならば、儲けたいものは自由に儲けたい放題儲けてもよいと云うことにしたら、一部獨占資本家は富んでも大衆は飢に瀕する恐れがあるからである。又階級鬪爭を金科玉條と考へている共産主義も、絶對にあてはまらないのである。何となれば上で指摘はかりしていたら建設はいつになつてもできないし、生産が起らず利益のあがらない現状に於て、分配に就ての鬪爭のみにふけつていたら生産は益々あがらず、民族の滅亡をきたすことも必至だからである。また、交通の上から、經濟の面から、單一化しつゝある此世界に於て、偏狹的で獨りよがりのナチス流の狂奔的な民族主義が通用するわけもない。かように過去の歴史て實に基いて、過去に於て成立した之らの三つの理論體系は、參考にする價値はあつても、直接に現代日本の實用に供する價値なしとして否定せざるを得ないのである

けれども、原料的食糧をアメリカに仰ぎ、生産して加工した商品を米英國に輸出して民族の生存をささえてゆく日本は、資本主義的建前を堅持しなければならぬことはいうまでもない。また國民全體が貧困化している此際、共同作業で相互扶助できる社會政策を大幅に全面的に採用する必要に迫られていることも多言を要しないのである。更に又、民族がかくてこの生活においてモラルも低下した此一層深刻な狀態においては、平和世界文化世界の[illegible]から眞一目たるべく、人道主義てきな世界へのつながりを持つ民族精神と民族感情を大いにふるい興さないと祖國と民族は壊滅し去るであろう

理窟では救はない

ころみてくると、個人利潤と、階級意識と、民族意識を含みはするが、夫らを超えた高次元の立場に立脚しない限り、正しい普遍に妥當なる思想は決して生れてこないのである。從つて、私は個人利潤が此時代の最高の問題でなく、階級鬪爭が中心の課題でもなく、民族意識が主要な命題でもなく、人間そのもの、人類そのものの立場が、此世紀の最も深く最も高い至上の命令とも云うべきものと信ずるのである。之を私は四次元てきな立場と呼んでいる。

即ち此二十世紀の最重要の課題は人類の興亡にあると斷言して差つかえないと思う。そうだとすると、アトム・ボンブをして人類を亡ぼさしめるのでなく、人類が原子力を使用する方面に導く事が所謂絶對平和主義の切なる願望となつてくる。新國ニッポンは此の方途においてのみ再建と獨立の可能性を見出すのである。眞に民主的きな平和愛好の先進諸國の手に居附して、破壞てきな、攪亂てきなそしてまた獨裁てきなる風潮を克服せんとするのが、我らの唯一の正しい進路なのである

斷るからかにして、建設てきな思想は、單なる政治經濟の理論としてのみ育成されるものではない。然るに宗教てき信條、宗教てき情操にまで醇化されてこそ、はじめて政治としても經濟としても意義と力を發揮し得るのである

イエス・キリストが、あのさまよえるイスラエルの民と共に苦悩した途も、宗教であり、政治であり、民族運動であり、社會運動でさえあつたと思う。ただ、權力できる政治の方法によらず、鬪爭でなく社會運動の方向をとらなかつたところに特徴があるのである。釋尊のばあいもまた同樣であつて、政治や社會から切離されて說教だけを樂しむような、いわゆる寺院的な宗教ではなかつたのである。

そして單に個々人の救いのみを目できとしたものではなく、佛國の建設を考え、境遇を人間が幸福るものと儀ヒたのが大乘佛教のおしえとでそなのである。更に又弘法大師は單なる坊主ではなかつた。地方々々に適切な灌漑工業を始めた偉大なる經濟學者である。カナ文字を發明されたすぐれた文學者でもあつた。其上醫藥の事に通じ病人を治癒せしめる名醫でもあり、中國に留學して文化交流にも功績を殘した外交政治家でもあり其上電氣の事をさえ知つて居た天才てき科學者であつたという說さえも行われて居るくらゐである

現代の宗教はまさに斯の如きものでなければならぬ。と同時に現代の政治はまさに斯の如きものであらねばならぬ

從つて、我らの良心の誓いにきき神意の指し示すであろうと察せられるような「ものゝ考え方」を究めて、御心にかなう正しくまた美しき方途につこうと決心しているのである

美しい心の交わり

去る十一月十二日伊豆伊東の[illegible]三日、川奈ホテルで開かれたエイ・ダブル・エー・シーの大會に招かれた私はこのような宗教てきな雰[illegible]會科學の理論を講演する機會をもつた

會議のアメリカのバーネス夫人はもとより、前幹事長のウッ[illegible]ミス女史や婦人[illegible]のカ[illegible]マン女史、更に敗戰の獨逸から來るはるばる參せた、銀が落ち[illegible]氣の[illegible]リク女史等と二日に亘り平和と宗教と政治を語り合つたのである。

其時つくづく感じた事は、宗教の力のすばらしく偉大である事、そして更に婦人の平和に於ける役割のまことに大である事であつた

獨逸の[illegible]さんとフランスのバロー[illegible]さんとの間には[illegible]面白からぬ感情が横たわつて居たというが、此の二人の深い内省と[illegible]い祈りにより見るもうるわしき交わりが始められた。夫れを温かい心で見守つていたイギリンズさんやウッドスモールさんカフマンさん達の心はまさに平和への道しるべであると思つた。其上私は、ともすればあゝした戰爭があつた事を疑いたくなる[illegible]を見て居るのではないかと錯覚をおぼえる程、全體のふん囲氣は終生忘れる事の出來ない印象を與えたのである

リイダー[illegible]に入信するために、九州のはて[illegible]のはてから集まつて來た日本のうるわしの少女達が、[illegible]く[illegible]一本ずつもつて「光う[illegible]」「我世の旅路の[illegible]」を[illegible]する[illegible]のうるわしの[illegible]、此世の事とも思はなかつた

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[illegible]

會長[illegible]語り合つたのは、[illegible]

[illegible]割に就てであつた。私は私の關係[illegible]

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冬の一日

オンタリオ [illegible]

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明けては暮るゝ 單調の
田舍の住居 風景を
すべてを愛する 心[illegible]
吹きまくる嵐 靜まりて
陽にきらめく 氷の鏡
あたり一面 白妙の
げに懐しき 朝景色

[illegible]小島峯て

光るを探すか 二羽三羽
いと愛らしき 姿をば
我む手をやすめて ながめてみる
さし出る朝日 沈む夕日
窓邊に立ちて 眺めては
このような幸を [illegible]
[illegible] 日を送る

詩を作ろうとする人のために

「働く人の詩」より……選評は小野十三郎、竹中郁、梅木三郎

私の手

岡本千代子

誰もいないところで
私はそつと自分の手を廣げてみる
ひゞ割れた間に血がにじんでいた
母よいまこそ[illegible]
私の手の美しいのが母のよろこびであつた
しかし現在の私の手はこんなにも荒れている。
佛前で經本を持つ手のいたいたしさを
母は悲しんでいるだろうか
眞赤に割れたひびに
師走の風がしむ。

(評)生活がはつきり浮んでこの詩一般的な感情に表白に終始していて、新しさや強さはないが、日本の「家」の在り方を想像させるところがあつて取つた。[illegible]い詩である(小野)

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[illegible]uchi spoke in Japanese to explain

[illegible] part of the evening was enjoyed by all who took part

[illegible] Agers' Club.)

Montreal Merry-Go-Round

By LULU

It's a tough pill to swallow but Montrealers are faced with a possibility of an increase in the tramway fare and what's more, the boost in the cost of living will have us digging deeper into our pockets! Our town, incidentally, is registered as topping all the other cities across the Dominion in the rising cost . . . The Nisei Circulating Library may soon boast of additional volumes of Japanese novels which were forwarded to our community by Mr. Sato of Alberta.

The stage-struck Nisei players are getting set for a spring debut, the coaching will of course be done by Cindy . . . get set for the Quebec Chapter JCCA Social Night, to be held at the Polish Hall on Friday, February 13. The proceeds will enable the local Chapter to send delegates to the Dominion JCCA Conference to be held in Winnipeg during the Easter Holidays.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing for **Fred Urabe**, Crown Life representative, and petite **Marcelle Belanger**, in Toronto. Bussei President **Hideo Yamada** and **Yacko**, daughter of **Mr. and Mrs. S. Tanaka**, announced their engagement december 11. Many best wishes! . . . **Mr. and Mrs. Masatsugu Hayashi** would like their friends to know of the arrival of their son, **Andrew Masahiko**, on December 4 . . . Visitors over the holiday included **Eiko Nakano, Setsu Yamaoka** and **Harold Morishita** from Toronto . . . **Ruth Akagawa** has left the Children's Memorial Hospital for Chicago, where she is to study . . . Engagement of wide interest was announced Christmas Eve at the home of **Mr. and Mrs. Isoji Yamashita**, of **Joanne Sakiko Takashima** to **George**, eldest son of the **Yamashita** family . . . The Nisei patients at Ste. Agathe wish to thank their friends for the gifts and cards received during Christmas . . . **Mieko Kosaka** and **Mutsuo Suda** are planning for the day when they will become Mr. and Mrs. . . . And **Shizue Dorothy**, daughter of **Mr. and Mrs. Umetaro Inamoto**, revealed her engagement to **Bill Fujino**, second son of **Mr. T. Fujino**.—**Montreal Bulletin.**

PROTEST

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that the notices will not become effective until the ruling of the legislature has been obtained."

JCCA Protest

The protest against the discharge order for Japanese workers was led by the British Columbia JCCA, the National JCCA, the Vancouver branch of the Canadian Civil Liberties Association, the IWA, the United Nations Organization and others, supported by editorial broadsides from both the Sun and Province newspapers in Vancouver.

The B.C. JCCA delegation of Hideo Onotera, Dr. G. A. Ishiwara, Seiji Homma and counsel T. G. Norris interviewed the Lands and Forests Minister, E. T. Kenney, in Victoria on Jan. 29, and asked the withdrawal of the order on the grounds that many Japanese involved in the ban are British subjects.

This was followed on Jan. 30 by a JCCA brief to the provincial cabinet, prepared by Mr. Norris, stating that the banning of Japanese from the B.C. lumber industry deprived the men of the only work left them, will make them a charge on the public, ruin them as prospective citizens and give them, as unemployed drifters, an incentive to return to the coastal areas.

The National JCCA, backing its B.C. chapter, has wired protests to federal government leaders and to the British Columbia Premier.

IWA Joins Fight

Harold Pritchett, district president of the IWA, declared that logging operators who dismiss Japanese employees in compliance with a provincial forestry department order will violate their contracts with International Woodworkers of America. "The IWA won't stand by [illegible] [illegible] against any [illegible] of its [illegible] class."

On Jan. 27 the IWA [illegible] executive protested the [illegible] of the pre-war ban on Japanese by unanimous vote. The executive also asked Premier Byron Johnson for an interview with the provincial cabinet [illegible] the matter.

The Vancouver Labor [illegible] JCCLA as well as individual [illegible] and lumber operators [illegible] their voice to the protest.

The Canadian Civil Liberties Union denounced the provincial government's action in a lengthy statement by its counsel, Garfield King.

"This amounts to a violation of our own Canadian Citizenship Act and a gross violation of our commitments under the United Nations charter," the statement declared. "This law is based on the color line and as such is an offensive act in all parts of the world where there is a colored population."

The Vancouver branch of the United Nations Association of Canada issued its statement on Jan. 29, pointing out that unless the British Columbia government reverses its decisions regarding Japanese dismissals from B.C. logging camps, Canada is laying herself open to criticisms by other nations at United Nations headquarters for unfair treatment of a minority people.

Slower to reach an opinion was the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in Vancouver, which normally represents the interior lumber operators. The association's manager, Hugh Dalton, said some interior operators had "taken the matter up" with the CMA and that the situation will be discussed at an executive meeting within two weeks.

U.B.C. STUDENTS

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[illegible] the student audience with his sincere plea for justice and equal rights to Nisei.

The resolution urging full rights to Nisei was endorsed in brief addresses by presidents of the following campus organizations: [illegible] University Students' Union, the Alma Mater Society, Parliamentary Forum, Liberal Club, [illegible] Club, Labor Progressive [illegible], Conservative Club, Social Problems Club, as well as representatives of other student [illegible].

[illegible]

Card of Thanks

[illegible] Committee [illegible] New [illegible] Sanatorium [illegible] to thank [illegible] of all parts of Canada [illegible] donations received at Christmas, also the Raymond [illegible] Church for enabling the showing of a Japanese movie.

HAYASHIDA, IZUMI PACE TORONTO JCCA FIVE-PIN FIGHT

TORONTO.—Tak Hayashida of Bill Takeda Insurance, is setting a red hot pace to lead the Toronto JCCA Commercial Bowling League high averages with 235. Joe Izumi, Mini-Mix pace-setter, holds second spot with 228. Joe Tehara of O.K. Cleaners is third with 223.

The night of January 29 saw Mini-Mix take sweet revenge on aggressive Club 20 who gave them shellackings in their two previous encounters.

Individual honors for the night went to B. Miyauchi of O.K. Cleaners, who got high triple of 757 and high single of 309.—T.Y.

THE BIG TEN

	Avg.
Hayashida (BTI)	235
J. Izumi (MM)	228
Tehara (OK)	223
S. Ono (BTI)	221
Isoshima (C20)	219
G. Ide (Canton)	218
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TORONTO BASKETBALL

Mustangs Lose Roy Miyasaki To Injury; Ashikawa Shines

By T.F.

TORONTO.—A pair of slam-bang games thrilled Toronto Nisei Basketball League fans on the night of January 30, as Bombers squelched the steaming Aces, 44-34 and Mustangs luckily edged out the swarming but hard luck Rebels, 37-33.

The Mustang-Rebel game proved to be a humdinger. Rebels again picked on a Mustang off-night, but saw their rare chance of beating the undefeated league leaders melt away through lack of subs. The losers only stripped five men for the game.

Several players collapsed from injury in the fast pace of the tussle. Mustangs received a severe jolt when Roy Miyasaki fell from a severe twist in his leg in the first quarter. The starry forward was rushed to hospital where X-ray revealed a torn ligament, which will keep him out of action for a few weeks.

Rebels found the Mustangs full of arms in the first quarter. Checking the Rebels at every turn with octopus-like arms, Mustangs roared away to a 15-2 lead. But with mighty mite Kiyoshi Maikawa sparkplugging the way, the challengers pecked away at the Mustang lead so that at the end of the third stanza, Rebels led 28-23. This was accomplished by holding the Thin Men completely scoreless in the third quarter.

Half way through the last period, the pace began to tell and Maikawa collapsed from a severe cramp. Coach Tets Uno worked on Maikawa's leg for three successively running time outs to revive the sorely-needed player.

But wearied and exhausted the Rebel machine began to [illegible], and Mueka Makimoto, Herby and Ken Miyasaki came back to life again to just regain the lead and the victory at the game's end.

Curly Nakagawa, George Ide and Roy Kurita snared 8 points each to lead Rebel scoring. Kurita missed being the hero of the game when he missed numerous breakaways and set up shots. Aki Koyanagi filled Roy Miyasaki's shoes to effectively help Mustangs win the game.

Mustangs are finding it harder and harder to win games. This may be an ominous prelude to the outcome of the playoffs.

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Bombers and Aces fought to a strenuous standstill in the first half of the opener. Then the champions' teamwork, clicking in clockwork precision, piled up a commanding lead for ultimate victory.

Typical of the Bomber style of teamwork, every member of the team shared in the scoring. Surprise leader was Shigo Ashikawa, who is supposed to be almost washed up, with 10 points. Agile guardsman Idy Idenouye trailed next with 7, while George Hirano scored 6 points.

Paul Hirano prevented the game from becoming a rout and hard-pressed the Bombers at the same time by doing almost all the Ace scoring in the first half. Scoring from practically every position on a "red hot" night, the Ace forward amassed 21 points. Jackson Onishi is rapidly turning into outstanding player. He has changed from a sluggish average guard into a fighting and hustling player.

First Game: Bombers 44, Aces 34.
BOMBERS—Ashikawa 10, Idenouye 7, G. Hirano 6, K. Mitsui 5, Tsukamoto 5, Wakabayashi 4, M. Mitsui 5, Akiyama 2, Inamoto 2.
ACES—P. Hirano 21, Onishi 5, Oda 4, S. Takata 4, Miyashita, Mitsui, G. Takata.

Second Game: Mustangs 37, Rebels 33.
MUSTANGS—H. Miyasaki 11, Makimoto 9, K. Miyasaki 6, Koyanagi 4, Toyama 3, Sumi 2, R. Miyasaki 2.
REBELS—Nakagawa 8, Ide 8, Kurita 8, Fukumoto 5, Maikawa 4.

ON THE CUFF—Coach Tets Uno tells us his Rebels will be travelling down to London for an exhibition game on Feb. 28 . . . Yours truly through Mi Akiyama's okay, is in process of contacting a Chicago Nisei team for an international exhibition encounter. A letter has already been sent to the editor of the Chicago Shimpo . . . A [illegible] presentation dance will be held [illegible] after the playoffs. Date and place [illegible] yet undecided . . .

Koei Mitsui has a plan of his proposed rec centre sketched out. It is an elaborate and beautiful structure. He calls it the Toronto Garden. His biggest job, he says, is to get public interest and support.

Vegas rattled off three [illegible] league games in the last week of January to wind up the season. They lost to West End Y 35-31, and Eastside Lions, 33-23. They beat Danforth Grads 42-30 in their last game. With 3 wins and 9 losses Vegas dropped out of the first division and were eliminated from the playoffs. They didn't get in there, but the main thing was "to play the game," which they did fully, winning the respect and attachment of every team they met. Our hats off to Vegas.

Xaviers, Bums and Leafs Lead Seven-Team Toronto Puck Race

TORONTO.—On January 19, at Alexander Park rink, Maple Leafs won their first Toronto Nisei Hockey League game by shutting out Rockets, 1-0. This was the first shutout of the young season which started on January 15.

Leafs outplayed Rockets in both periods with "Chicken" Nishimura (2) and the Tanaka brothers being the goal getters.

LEAFS—N. Fujimoto (goal), K. Tanaka, G. Nishimura, N. Nakao, T. Tanaka, C. Nishimura, J. Tanaka, F. Tanaka, N. Hayashi, M. Nagata, G. Mori, D. Sakamoto, M. Uyenaka.
ROCKETS—A. Takahashi (goal), K. Tamura, J. Matsumoto, C. Nakagawa, G. Kadonaga, S. Sora, T. Kamino, D. Fujimoto, S. Kamo, M. Fukumoto, G. Sato, R. Kanio, J. Onodera, B. Ogaki.

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The Spadina Bowling Alley squad, better known as Bums, gave Young Rovers a decisive defeat 7-3, on January 20 at Trinity Park. Yuki Kameoka, Rover captain, was the outstanding player on the ice.

Mutts Matsunaga, Sam Furuya, Don Yokota, Hiro Kawaguchi (2), Mosa Matsumoto and Maw Mori scored for Bums. Yuki Kameoka, Ken Ohara and Fred Miyasaki made the Rover tallies.

SPADINA BOWLING — T. G[illegible] (goal), M. Mori, K. Mitsubata, S. Sora, K. Kureda, M. Kureda, H. Morita, G. Nakamura, H. Kawaguchi, D. Nemu, S. Furuya, M. Matsumoto, D. Yokota, M. Matsunaga.
YOUNG ROVERS — S. Ohashi (goal), T. H[illegible], J. Omali, H. Miyasaki, M. Kuwabara, F. Miyasaki, J. Mo[illegible], K. Ohara, Y. Kameoka, F. Miyasaki, T[illegible], Y. Toyota, J. Inamoto, S. T[illegible] kimoto.

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Young Rovers showed Danforth Cleaners how stick-handling and playing the position should be done, on January 22 at Alexander Park, with a 5-2 victory.

When Danforth defenseman Fred Sasaki was penalized in the first period with the score one-all, Rovers took the advantage and tallied three goals in two minutes by Ken Ohara (2) and Yuki Kameoka to go ahead.

Ohara got 3 goals and Kameoka 2 to take care of the Rover scoring. Ari Watanabe and Kaz Aoki scored for Danforths.

DANFORTHS — J. Furumoto (goal), K. Kuwahara, F. Sasaki, M. Takahashi, T. Miura, T. Uchikura, J. Takashima, G. Inata, A. Watanabe, J. Morita, T. Takahashi, J. Miura, G. Watanabe, T. Matsumoto, M. Kitaguchi, K. Aoki.

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Maple Leafs got another shutout by defeating Young Rovers 1-0 on January 23 at Riverdale Park. Rovers badly missed their star Yuki Kameoka, Herby Miyasaki, Don Inamoto and Sackeye Tsukamoto also were not on the line.

[illegible] got the winning goal [illegible].

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[illegible] game on [illegible] Xaviers edged out the [illegible] TNT [illegible] 2-1. This game put the Xaviers on top of the league.

[illegible] and D. Hashimoto [illegible] goals [illegible] winners. S. Yamashita got the [illegible] TNT [illegible].

In the second game, TNT, sponsored by the Toronto Terrace Club, defeated Rockets 4-2. With its third defeat for Rockets, the latter team dropped to the [illegible] of the league.

Mits Harada (2), Shiro Yamashita and Mas Heike were responsible for the teenagers' counters. Joe Matsumoto and Sumi Sora got the two goals for the Rockets.

TNT — E. Adachi (goal), E. Heike, Harold Heike, K. Adachi, D. Hayashi, Y. Teramoto, S. Yamashita, A. Kuwahara, S. Nagasaye, M. Heike, L. Heike, C. Uchikura, G. Yamashita, F. Nagasaye, M. Harada.

TEAM STANDINGS

	GP	W	L	T	Pts
S. T. Xaviers	[illegible]	2	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spadina Bowling	[illegible]	2	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
Maple Leafs	[illegible]	2	[illegible]	0	4
TNT	[illegible]	1	1	[illegible]	2
Young Rovers	[illegible]	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Danforth Clns	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rockets	3	0	3	0	0

TOP SCORERS

	G	A	Pts
K. Ohara (Rovers)	5	[illegible]	5
Y. Kameoka (B)	3	1	4
H. Kawaguchi (SBA)	4	0	4
M. Matsumoto (SBA)	2	2	4

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—[illegible] exhibition hockey game in the Lethbridge arena, Taber Jaycees took the short end of a [illegible] score Sunday afternoon, January [illegible], from the Columbus Club Junior [illegible] sextet.

Interesting to note was the presence of two Nisei youngsters, Yamamoto and Koyanagi, in the Taber lineup.

[illegible] Shuttlers Win Keeps Intact [illegible]No-Loss Record; In Playoffs

[illegible]TO.—The undefeated record of the JCCA Church [illegible]ons Badminton Club was held intact as the Nisei [illegible]10-6 over the Church of Epiphany in the final [illegible]match of the Toronto Interchurch Badminton [illegible]" section, on January 28. This put the JCCA [illegible] All Nations team in the quarter-finals against [illegible] United.

[illegible]isastrous past week [illegible] were downed 6-0 by [illegible] United, the ladies' [illegible]ms of Kay Ogaki-Amy Kitamura, Fumi Kitamura-Mitsie Shintani, came right back to make a clean 4-0 sweep.

Two new men's doubles teams, Luke Tanabe-Mas Yatabe and Tats Harada-Tucker Merlin, were initiated into league play and split their matches 2-2.

In the usually strong mixed doubles department, the score was again a split 4-4, as the JCCA teams were playing together for the first time. The margin of victory was the ladies' doubles sweep of 4-0.

FEATHER FACTS—As their nervousness wore away, the boys started hammering away like veterans . . . Epiphany had a Chinese member, Bob Lee, from Vancouver . . . The team of Fumi Kitamura and club prexy Tats Harada registered the only perfect game of the season as they swept their hapless opponents aside 15-love. This recollection brings a broad grin to Harada's face any time . . .

Everywhere the club has gone it has received a standing offer to come again for a friendly match—credit to the sportsmanship shown by the JCCA team . . . The quarter-finals against Deer Park United will start on Feb. 5 . . . Deer Park boasts as its top team, Hooper and Yates who took our Ken Fukusaka and Junji Ikeno in the T. and D. tourney.

An analysis of the 6 league games shows—ladies' doubles, 17 wins, 11 losses; men's doubles, 25 wins, 3 losses; and mixed doubles, 49 wins, 7 losses. Digging deeper we find the ladies made clean sweeps 4 times, the men also 4 times, and the mixed teams, 3 times.

With the season rapidly going into the final stretch, we hear that the two shuttle groups in Montreal are going great guns. If the All-Nisei Open Shuttle Test materializes, it would be nice to have Montreal reps. Attention, Messrs. Gabby Inamoto and Toy Ebata!—M.M.

SPORTS

[illegible]C.—With the opening of [illegible] season in Kaslo, the [illegible] won one and lost one in [illegible] with Proctor and Zinc-ton.

[illegible] second game against Zinc[illegible] which ended in an 8-1 victory [illegible] Kaslo, Hubbo Matsu-[illegible] one of the Kaslo goals on [illegible]t from Yutaka Atagi. R. [illegible] Kaslo, was the star of the [illegible] doing most of the scoring. [illegible] Sakimoto also appeared in [illegible] uniform.

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[illegible] FORKS, B.C.—The local high [illegible] sent the senior boys' and [illegible] basketball teams to Republic, [illegible], for an international invasion, but both teams lost out to the American high schoolers. The boys lost 37-18, the girls losing 27-[illegible].

[illegible] was top scorer for the Grand Forks girls with [illegible] points. American girls' rules, which forbids guards to shoot, very much hampered the Canadian style.

[illegible]da, Sunahara Lead Scorers As LNO Five Win in Church Loop

LONDON, Ont. — After three [illegible] defeats, London Nisels got back on the victory trail when they trounced Empress United Church in a London Interchurch basketball game on Jan. 23, by the score of 41-42.

The Niseis have an excellent chance of hitting the top of the league this season, since St. James, the current leaders, who defeated the Niseis in December, were in turn beaten by Empress United. Worthy of special notice is the fact that the Niseis' opponents in the Church League include many star players from the City League.

Top men for the LNO were Bob Nunoda and Fred Sunahara with 8 points apiece. This occasion also marked the initial appearance of the Niseis in smart new uniforms—lime-green jerseys with black satin shorts.—t.f.

LNO—Fred Sunahara 8, Art Nunoda 6, Art Obokata 5, Bob Nunoda 8, Tak Ozaki 4, Jim Kagawa 4, K. Yanagisawa 6.

EMPRESS UNITED—[illegible] 12, Connor 2, Hart 5, Stephenson 2, Woods, Huddleston.

PEG BASKETBALL VALENTINE HOP ON FRIDAY 13TH

WINNIPEG.—Defying dark superstition and anticipating Valentine's Day in one move, a dance will be held by the Winnipeg Nisei Basketball League on Friday, Feb. 13, at the YWCA auditorium.

Last year's highly successful Cupid's Crawl will be well remembered by all Winnipeggers. This year's Valentine Dance, the casaba league executive promises, will be as entertaining and as well planned as last year's affair.

Peg Bowling Loop Moves into Four-Team Final Playoffs

WINNIPEG.—Hank Ozamoto's Longshots, Pro Sumida's Roll Your Owns, Joe Konishi's Homestretch's, and Aki Oka's Kingpins ended up in that order in the Winnipeg Nisei Mixed Bowling League race and entered the final playoffs to be played on Feb 7.

The final league night, Jan. 31, was highlighted by the battle for fourth place and a coveted playoff spot between Kingpins, Butch Hamakawa's Knockouts and Roy Sasaki's We Fix Ems. Knockout captain Oka's 214-328-232 string were the biggest assets in the team's victory.

Mighty Tad Tanabe managed to hold off runner-up Hank Ozamoto's efforts to retain the league high average with 215. Ozamoto's season mark was 209, followed by Joe Konishi (205), Tony Fujishige (204), and Aki Oka (204).

Barbara Sakamoto headed the ladies' high averages with 158. Martha Ichiiwa was 6 points behind in second spot with 152, followed by Betty Kanna's 146.

High single and high triple of the night was scored by the mighty Tanabe with 357 and 859.

Betty Kanna bowled a 256 game on the last night to tie Martha Ichiiwa's high single mark. On agreement, the two bowled a deciding game with Betty Kanna coming out on top with a 201. Mary Inouye's 484 was high triple for the night.

—G.F.

SUN EDITORIAL

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occupations for which they are fitted.

"A Spring to Make Canadians Blush"

Less surprising but just as vigorous in its attack on the restriction order was the Province editorial opinion.

"This British Columbia policy violates the principle of equality which the Citizenship Act seeks to establish. It creates a lower type of citizen, one lacking certain privileges enjoyed by others," the Province declared on Jan. 30.

"Canadians who have compared Canadian treatment of the Canadian Japanese minority with American treatment of the American minority during the war and since are compelled to admit that the Americans have been both fairer and more realistic. Now Canadians must hang their heads again."

"More Discrimination"

The latest outbreak of discrimination in British Columbia was seized as an occasion to plug for a national Bill of Rights by the Winnipeg Free Press.

The Free Press, on Jan. 31, urged the removal of existing federal restrictions on Japanese Canadians when the matter comes up during the current session of Parliament.

It added: "The British Columbia government has asserted its rights under the British North America Act to say that one group of Canadians cannot enjoy the same conditions of employment as other groups. There will be nothing to prevent the British Columbia government doing this and other provincial governments practicing various acts of discrimination until there is a Bill of Rights in Canada."

"Shameless Prejudice"

The Toronto Globe and Mail said in its Jan. 29 editorial:

"To lend the reputation of the government of a Canadian province to this barefaced denial of the right to earn a living at a chosen occupation is an offense to every citizen in the country.

"Beyond the injury to the Japanese concerned, Canada as a whole suffers, economically as well as morally."

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Personal Notes Across Canada

Marriages

SUGIMOTO—NISHIMURA

EDMONTON.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Bissell United Church on Saturday, Jan. 24 when Miss Aiko Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. Nishimura of Waterways, was united in marriage to Mr. Roy Sugimoto, the Rev. Dr. J. T. Stevens officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white floor-length gown of eyelet lace. Her full length lace veil draped from a heart-shaped tiara and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Jessie Nishimura, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore a sheer floor-length gown of blue, trimmed with sequins and lace.

The best man was Mr. George Matsuba. During the signing of the register, Miss Eiko Iwashita sang "Because," accompanied by Miss Eva Saito.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Pacific Chop Suey. About 75 guests attended.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shikatani and Mr. and Mrs. G. Uyehara were baishakunins. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. F. Nishimura, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nishimura and Mr. and Mrs. H. Ikeda, all of Waterways, and Mrs. E. E. Kellough of Calgary.

Correction

NISHIMURA—UNO

Miss Yaeko Uno, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kozaburo Uno, of Montreal, was married to Mr. Hideo Nishimura, also of this city, on Jan. 17.

The New Canadian regrets it erroneously reported on Jan. 31 that Miss Uno was married to Mr. Hideo Yamada.

Births

FORT WILLIAM, Ont.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tamotsu Yamashita of Camp 72, c/o Pigeon Timber Co., Neys, Ont., a daughter, Mariko Louise, on Jan. 11, at McKellar General Hospital, in Fort William.

GREENWOOD, B.C.—Born, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Kichitaro Shinde, at the Greenwood Hospital, on Jan. 21. Weight: six pounds.

[illegible] ANNIVERSARY [illegible]cture shows those [illegible] anniversary party [illegible] Teen-Agers at St. [illegible] on Jan. 14. The [illegible]ting its second year, feted its advisors on the occasion.

Seated in the centre is Mother St. Peter with Mrs. Mackida on her right and Advisor Jimmy Horiuchi to the [illegible].

During the part, gifts were presented to the above three for their efforts in assisting the club's growth and progress. Mr. Horiuchi spoke in Japanese to explain the club aims to the parents who were present as guests of the club.

The social part of the evening was enjoyed by all who took part in the hilarious games and tasted the delicious eats.—M.K.

(Cut from the Montreal Teen-Agers' Club.)

NEWS OF NISEI ORGANIZATIONS

Londoners Plan Varied Program For Provincial JCCA Conference

LONDON, Ont.—"London has a fat, well-fed look . . . it shows signs of a middle-age spread . . . comfortable and rather well satisfied . . . clean, modern and yet friendly . . ." So spoke John Fisher, Canada's wandering reporter, of this Western Ontario city in a CBC radio broadcast recently.

Nisei residents of this city will have the opportunity to show off its "friendly" side at least when the London Nisei Organization plays host to the Ontario Provincial JCCA conference on Feb. 28-29.

Basketball Game

Headed by general chairman Kumey Yoshida, committees are already busy on preparations. A rough outline program shows that all will not be work during the two-day gathering.

After registrations and business sessions on Saturday, an exhibition basketball game between Toronto Rebels and the local London five has been arranged.

Immediately following the game a welcome dance is being planned for all delegates and friends.

On Sunday, business sessions will be resumed, but before out-of-towners hurry to catch trains home, they will be asked to relax for a while as they join in a farewell banquet.

Special Bulletin

Following is a special bulletin issued by the concert committees:

"The LNO will provide billets for all official delegates and members of the basketball team. We regret that lack of accommodation does not permit billets for all visitors. However, accommodation for all observe delegates will be arranged at their expense; they are requested to notify Art Nunoda, billeting chairman, at 317 Pall Mall St., London, at least ten days before the conference. Also all delegates with friends in London are asked to make personal arrangements early.

"The London Nisei Organization invites you to take this opportunity of visiting this city and of joining other Nisei leaders in two days of work and fellowship.

"Please keep in contact with your local executive and The New Canadian for further information."

—K.K.

London Girls Look Forward to Leap Year's Frolic

LONDON, Ont.— London girls, headed by Kay Toda and four others on the special committee, Nobby Toda, Kaz Kagawa, Kay Toyata and Mary Nagata, are busy planning one of the biggest events in four years.

Yes, you've guessed it—it's the Leap Year's Frolic at the beautiful Rainbow Canteen, YMCA, on St. Valentine's day, Saturday, Feb. 14.

Music will be nothing but the best old favorites by Glenn Miller, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman and others. Girls, this is your chance to ask your special someone to the best dance ever.

Be the first to ask him and we can all meet at the Rainbow Canteen at 8:30 sharp, Valentine's Day. M.N.

Odori Artists and Soloists Excel At Kent Bowling League Concert

CHATHAM, Ont.—The Kent Nisei Bowling League sponsored an entertaining program for their parents and friends on Jan. 2. Guests were treated in royal style with transportation being provided for them and refreshments served at the concert.

The concert opened with "O Canada" and a speech by Master of ceremonies Hank Ryoji.

Featured as a main attraction was an odori skit in which four female "desperadoes" (played by Johnny Kondo, George Nishizaki, Sam Tomotsugu and Jack Nishizaki) go out on a husband hunt.

There were many other odoris, including Patsy and Kay Baba in "Tsumagoidochu"; Rumie Wakayama, Nina Tsukayama, Kay Baba and Etsuko Osaka in "Sendokawaiya"; Mamie Kudo, Miyo Masuda and Toky Sugiyama in "Harusame"; and a solo odori "Echigojishi" by Patsy Baba.

All odoris were taught by Haruna Tomotsugu.

Vocalists of the evening were Mimie Kudo, Ayako Aoki, Lonnie Ryoji, Toky Sugiyama and a [illegible] male, Frank Uchiyama. A special guest soloist was Rosie Nishizaki of Toronto.

An up-to-date jitterbug sextet was swung by Lonnie Ryoji, Miyo Masuda, Molly Matsubayashi, Bibo Nagao, Kay Matsubayashi and Tony Baba.

AROUND THE WORLD

An around the world skit featured Molly Matsubayashi representing Mexico and singing "South of the Border," Bibo Nagao representing China in a beautiful purple silk lounging pajamas, Roy Nishizaki performing a odori in a beautiful attractive red kimono, and an out of the world performance by Tony Baba as an Arabian. He wore a sheer white [illegible] and a [illegible] headdress, with a veil covering his [illegible] hair. And last but not least was a beautiful Hawaiian hula dancer in the person of George Nishizaki.

A number of Isseis entered the spirit of things by performing as [illegible]. The concert ended with [illegible] a Nisei's [illegible].

A dance was held after the program. T.S.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

11—Toronto. Metropolitan Nisei Fellowship meeting, Church house.
13—Toronto. YBS Valentine Dance, at Labor Lyceum, 9-1.
13—Montreal JCCA Social and Dance at Polish Veterans' Hall, 57 Prince Arthur East, 7:30 p.m.
14—Winnipeg. Nisei Basketball League Valentine Dance YWCA aud.
14—London Ont. Leap Year's Frolic at YMCA Rainbow Canteen, 8:30 p.m.
14—Toronto. Club T.N.T. Dance at St. George's Hall, 8-11 p.m.
15—Toronto. Nisei Students' Club meeting at 23 Grange Rd. 2 p.m.
22—Winnipeg. Young Buddhists' Society organization meeting at North Main CCF Hall, 1170 Main, at 2 p.m.
25—Toronto. Metropolitan Nisei Fellowship meeting, Church house.
28—Lethbridge. Tuesday Niters' Leap Year Dance at Lethbridge YMCA Auditorium, 8-12.
28—Greenwood, B.C. JCCA Annual Dance, Masonic Hall.
28-29—London, Ontario JCCA provincial conference.
28-29—Greenwood, B.C. JCCA provincial conference.

Toronto JCCA Invites All to Free Skiing Lessons

TORONTO.—A free course in the fine art of skiing has been arranged by the Toronto JCCA with well-known ex-Fuji Ski Club skiers as instructors.

They are: Jeep Inamoto, Bob Yasui, Tom Hatanaka, Sam Hagino, Sam Yamada and Tak Yamada.

Everyone interested in skiing should take advantage of these excellent lessons. Everybody is welcome.

The first outing is scheduled at Rosedale Golf Course on Sunday, Feb. 8, at 2 p.m. For further information regarding the skiing lessons phone Mas Yatabe (LL 0111) or any other member of the JCCA athletic committee.

Stuffed Toys For Opasatika Is Project of Club

TORONTO.—The Nisei Girls' Hobby Club is now busily engaged in making stuffed toys to send to the babies at Opasatika lumber camp.

At a meeting on Jan. 23, the members voted $10 to the "Save the Children Fund" and $10 to Japan Relief.

Sending Christmas gifts to hospitalized Japanese children in Toronto was another recent undertaking of this club. R.H.

Young Buddhists In Winnipeg To Form Society

WINNIPEG.—An organizational meeting of the Winnipeg Young Buddhists' Society will be held at the North Main CCF Hall, 1170 Main, on Sunday, February 22, at 2 p.m.

Elections will be held for the first executive of the society. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

New address of THE NEW CANADIAN is 731 McCalman Ave., WINNIPEG, MAN.

However, letters addressed to 394 Talbot Ave. will be forwarded to the new address without delay.

Nisei Students To Meet Feb. 15

TORONTO.—The general meeting of the Nisei Students' Club reported as scheduled on Feb. 8 has been postponed to Feb. 15 at 2 p.m. The place of meeting is 23 Grange Road.

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